

# The Canyon News

Fifty-Second Year

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## Much Wheat Is Planted After Rains

Canyon received .05 of an inch of moisture Thursday evening as the result of mist and showers. Added to this was .03 of an inch of moisture Friday morning, also as the result of a heavy mist.

Total moisture is now 1.04 inches since the rain started last week.

A survey of the county this week indicates that much wheat has been planted since the rains started to fall. No estimate could be made of the total acreage that has been planted, however.

Some wheat farmers are of the opinion that the volunteer crop will be sufficient for 1948, but a large per cent of the farmers will drill their wheat lands.

It is believed that the present moisture will be sufficient to sprout wheat in the ground, but that is about all. The fate of the crop for 1948 will depend entirely upon the amount of rain that is received in the coming few months. Little or no pasture is expected under prevailing conditions.

At best, the wheat crop is off to a very poor and late start. This condition prevails over about one-half of the winter wheat belt of the Southwest, including Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and parts of Nebraska and the Dakotas. Rains have fallen in some sections of this territory, but not more than half of the wheat belt has had a sufficient amount of rain to insure a good crop.

## Vocational Work Is Discussed At Lion Luncheon

The Lions program for Thursday, November 20, featured another new member of the West Texas State faculty. The speaker was William T. McGregor, professor of Vocational Training, and also a member of the local Lions Club. He explained the departmental objectives and described the \$75,000 equipment housed in the Vocational Trades Building on the campus.

He stated that eighty per cent of high school graduates do not finish college, chiefly because they cannot pursue the courses they want and need. This program of vocational training is open to anyone over fourteen years of age. He need not be a high school graduate, though the vast majority taking these courses are high school graduates or regularly enrolled students in the college.

The total time required is fifteen hours a week, or three hours a day, with one hour devoted to study and two hours in machine shop or laboratory. The full explanation of all the work done is afforded each student individually. The three chief divisions into which the work falls are carpentry or building trades, metal trades, and welding. The courses enable one to enter his calling as an advanced apprentice, capable of joining any prevailing union. With three years experience he gets to be a journeyman.

"The person who knows how and why will always be the boss of the one who works for him," Mr. McGregor stated. The qualifications of teachers in this work are quite high. In addition to four years college work, he must have had seven years in trades experience in his special field. For the fully finished expert he must have a total of eighteen years experience and training.

Guests for the day included L. A. Pitts and D. R. Clay, of Amarillo, with Lion Ed Williams; D. M. Foster, with Lion W. E. Miller; Lions Rhea Smith, of Amarillo and Barney Roberts, with Lion Wm. C. Cox.

## Hospital News

Mrs. R. M. Webster  
Mrs. M. E. Gillispie  
Mrs. Mary Sligar, surgical  
Edna Cone, surgical  
J. A. Guyer, dental surgery  
Mrs. Margaret Slomp, surgical  
Robert W. Wheelock, tonsillectomy  
F. M. White, medical  
Mrs. Tom Gerald, surgical  
Mrs. W. S. Avert, surgical  
Van S. Myers, Jr., medical

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller and daughters, Sandy and Peggy, of Plainview were in Canyon the past week end to visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. Elzie Price, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Miller, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnis Smith are moving to Canyon to make their home. They are former residents of this city.

Miss Mary Prescott of Amarillo spent the week end visiting with friends here.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

## Who Won Law Suit Tried For Three Days?

Who won the case of S. A. Thompson vs. Randall County and the City of Amarillo?

The case was tried in District Court, consuming Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The jury returned a verdict late Saturday night, answering two questions. The plaintiff claims that the answers are conflicting and settled nothing. He asks for a new trial.

The case is over a street in South Amarillo which has been in dispute for some time.

## Local Man Called By Father's Death

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Briggs and son, Ted, were called to Abilene Sunday morning because of the serious illness of Mr. Briggs' father, who died the following Thursday morning in the Hendrix memorial hospital.

Mrs. George C. Harris, Mrs. A. A. Clark and Barry attended the funeral services at Potosi, Texas.

## Large Number Petty Thefts Over Weekend

Canyon was infested with a series of petty crimes over the week end when a large number of car owners lost their shopping bundles, and one church was raided during the Sunday morning service.

Sheriff M. E. Cantrell located a band of gypsies who spent the week end here, and on Monday ordered them out of town. None of the stolen loot was recovered.

One local man reports that sheets were offered to him for sale, and a bundle of laundry was taken from one car Saturday night.

Choir members of the Baptist Church left their wraps in the room adjoining the choir loft. When church was dismissed Sunday morning, it was found that the wearing apparel had been ransacked and about \$20 in cash was taken.

It seemed that there was a systematic raid made on cars around the square, and owners who had left their machines unlocked lost everything which was loose. Many sacks of groceries, and other packages were taken.

Whether this was the work of the gypsies, or local talent has not been ascertained.

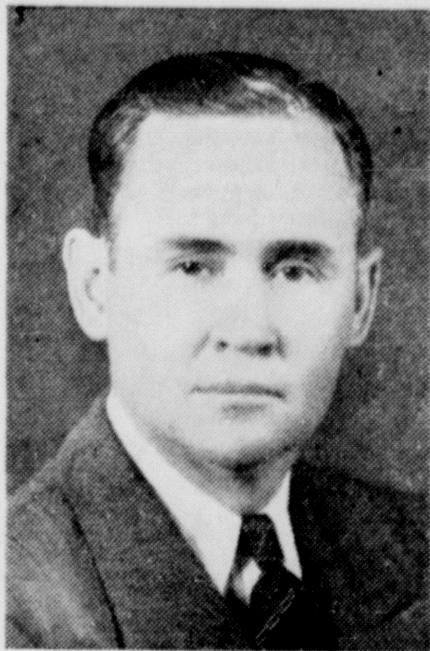
Sheriff M. E. Cantrell warned citizens to report gypsies when they come to town. They are here for no good purpose and they live by theft. Any citizen who spots gypsies should call the officers at once.

Mayor W. A. Warren urges that all car owners should lock their cars when they leave valuables in the machines. The city is making a diligent effort to protect property around the square but when cars are left unlocked there is little the officers can do in case of theft.

The series of thefts was the largest number of hauls reported in Canyon in several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Foster and daughter, Sally, are spending Thanksgiving in Childress with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Brewer. Also present for the day will be Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brewer of Shreveport, La., and Miss Marcelle Brewer of Amarillo.

## Churches To Hold Service Thursday a. m.



REV. B. E. BOLLMAN

The annual Thanksgiving services will be held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Christian Church, according to announcement of the Canyon Pastor's Association.

Rev. Benjamin E. Bollman, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the Thanksgiving message.

Music will be furnished by the Community Choir which will give a Christmas program at the Baptist Church on Dec. 18. Glenn Truax is director of the Choir.

Other pastors who will assist in the service are Dr. Roy L. Johnson of the Baptist Church, Rev. Weems S. Dykes of the First Christian Church, Rev. Hubert Thomson of the Methodist Church and Rev. W. J. Phelps of the Assembly of God Church.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bob E. Burchett to Wanda Wilson, Nov. 18.

Wesley McCullough to Bernice Davis, Nov. 20.

Charles Franklin Wright to Billie Curtis Ponder, Nov. 21.

Ishuemel Burton Cory to Mary Joyce Hubbard, Nov. 22.

Roy L. Ammons to Billie Ann Hester, Nov. 23.

## MOTHER-IN-LAW CLUB

Members of the Mother-In-Law Club will meet in the home of Mrs. E. B. Anthony at 3 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 4, for their Christmas party and exchange of gifts. Each one is requested to bring cup towels for Boys Ranch.

## Body of Jack Hand Arrived At Port Monday

The body of Pfc. Jack Hand is reported to have been brought back from Europe. Jack was killed in Belgium on Jan. 20, 1945.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hand, and a graduate of the Canyon High School. The Hand family lived near Canyon until moving to a farm near Amarillo.

No details regarding shipment of the body from New York have been released.

## Tax Discounts To Be Smaller Starting Monday

Saturday will be the last day on which 2% discount may be received for payment of State and county taxes. Starting Monday morning, Dec. 1, the rate will drop to 1%.

Tax Collector M. E. Cantrell states that the collections have been fine this year, and that the tax rolls are rapidly being paid by the property owners. Collections were very heavy during October when the rate of discount was 3%.

## Rumor Has It That Wet Election May Come To Randall

It has been rumored for several months that a prohibition election may be forced in Randall county, provided Potter county goes dry.

The election on liquor in Potter county has been set for December 8.

No petitions have been circulated in Randall county, and probably will not be until after the December 8 vote is held.

The News ventures the prediction that should an election be held in Randall county that the county will remain dry by the same majority as was cast in the last election on the liquor question.

## Bad Weather Has Slowed Down the Street Patching

Gaps in the city pavement made while the new water lines were being put in are gradually being repaired by the city force.

This work was greatly slowed down during the last week by the continued wet and cold weather.

## BOY SCOUT ROUND TABLE

Attending the monthly Boy Scout Leaders round-table discussion in Amarillo Wednesday were: O. W. Parker, Dr. Charles W. Martin, Bill Ingham and A. A. Clark.

## Christmas Will Show in Street Lights in City

The Chamber of Commerce has bought 500 new Christmas light bulbs for the strings of street lights.

The lights will be put up in a few days by a crew of the Southwestern Public Service Co. and will be connected as soon as possible. It is planned to leave the lights up until January 1st.

Christmas light bulbs are hard to find this year, and the Chamber was very fortunate in getting hold of enough bulbs to replace all damaged lights in the strings. These bulbs are a larger size than the usual Christmas lights which are used in store lighting and on Christmas trees. The size which are generally used for the later purpose are still a very scarce item. It is reported that there will be fewer lights around the square and in the homes this year because it is impossible to secure the medium size bulbs.

There is an abundance of small strings of bulbs on the market, but these are smaller than the normal size of Christmas bulbs which are used for store and outside lighting.

A Happy Thanksgiving To All Our Readers!



## Dr. Cornette To Be Greeted on January 9th

Dr. J. P. Cornette, new executive vice president of West Texas State College, expects to arrive in Canyon about January 1st, according to information received by President J. A. Hill this week. Dr. Cornette is now dean of Baylor University at Waco.

A dinner will be held on the night of January 9 at which time Dr. Cornette will be introduced to a large group of friends of the College.

Sponsors for the dinner will be the Board of Regents, the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and the Canyon Rotary Club. Approximately 400 invitations will be mailed to friends of West Texas State to attend the dinner and to meet Dr. Cornette. At least four members of the Board of Regents will be in Canyon for this event.

President J. A. Hill and Newton Harrell, member of the Board, left Tuesday morning for Austin where the Board of Regents will be in session this week.

## Vincent Lockhart Got Ink on Fingers Nineteen Years Ago

In his weekly column of the Canadian Record, Publisher Vincent Lockhart stated last week that it was 19 years ago that he started on his newspaper career as a printer's devil in the Canyon News office. He was a student in Canyon high at that time, the son of the late Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Lockhart of this city.

After serving on The Prairie and the Amarillo Globe-News, he went overseas where he made a brilliant record with the American Army. After release from the Army he bought the Canadian paper, and has been publishing a very interesting paper.

## Stork Specials

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roquemore are the parents of a daughter who arrived in Nebbett hospital, Nov. 23. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Winters, Nov. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon Foster, Jr., are the proud parents of a son, born Nov. 20, in the Tulia hospital. The baby, who weighed six and one-half pounds, was named John Gordon, III. Mr. Foster is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster of Way-side and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Foster.

## W. Holmes Smith to Move to Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes Smith and son are preparing to move to Amarillo this week. Mr. Smith is an instructor in the Amarillo College and has been commuting between Canyon and Amarillo for the past year.

The Smiths have sold their home to Jesse J. Rasor of Texarkana, who has recently bought land near Canyon.

Mr. Smith was a member of the faculty of West Texas State before going into the Air Corps of the Army during the war.

Miss Grace Snyder of Perryton visited with friends in Canyon during the week end.

## Noted Inventor Is Strong For The Young Men

According to William B. Stout, noted engineer, inventor and industrial engineer, the hope of America rests with the youth of today. He expressed the greatest admiration for the intelligence of the students whom he met at West Texas State.

Mr. Stout spoke Monday night at the local Rotary Club. He addressed the students of West Texas State Tuesday morning, and met several groups of students at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ples Harper.

President Herschel Coffee paid tribute to the Rotary Anns at the dinner Monday evening, which was held in the new college cafeteria. Dr. Harper presented the speaker.

"I have been greatly impressed by the intelligent question which your young people have asked," stated Mr. Stout. He pointed out the fact that more knowledge had been added to the world's store during the lifetime of the average student than has been added in all past history. While older people will have to study and dig for their knowledge, youth simply absorbs knowledge.

Youth of today knows radio, and the hams talk to all parts of the world. Youth knows radar. Some of the finest engineering that has been accomplished is made by boys on model airplanes. He told of his experiences in this line. Mr. Stout is author of a textbook on planes, which was adopted by the army and designed the first all metal plane.

"Your town has the opportunity to meet the boys half way; to give them an opportunity," stated Mr. Stout as he discussed the superior intelligence of boys he met in the southwest.

"The Lord handed us the materials, but man has to do the work," stated the speaker. Before power was discovered, man worked by hand, which took all of his time to make a living. Power has freed men from slavery. Man put power to work for his own benefit.

Henry Ford gave the world the greatest single idea. He made machinery to do labor; increased wages so that his employees could buy his products. At one time Ford employed owned more cars than were owned in the entire area of Europe. Ford introduced the production line where men used their brains to finish their product without physical labor. Ford made a return of only 2% on his investment, which is the average of industry of America.

Man went forward as they discovered laws—not passed them. The big airplanes are designed under the laws which the Creator left man. There is no guess work about the (Continued on last page)

## Eagles To Play At Perryton on Friday, Dec. 5

Canyon Eagles will meet the Perryton Rangers, at Perryton, Dec. 5, at 2:30 p. m., for the regional playoff game between Districts 1-A and 2-A. Officials and coaches of Canyon and Perryton High Schools met in Phillips Sunday afternoon to work out details of the game.

Canyon defeated Tulia 12-0, Friday afternoon at Tulia for the privilege of representing the 2-A District, and Perryton won from Phillips 33 to 0, Friday night at Phillips.

## Enlistment of Men For Co. E Underway Soon

Captain Donald Olson and Lieut. Robert Bellah have received their commissions as officers of Company E, which has been authorized for Randall county. During World War II Captain Olson served in the Field Artillery and Lieut. Bellah served in the Infantry.

The two officers have notified state headquarters in Austin of their acceptance and requested that application blanks be forwarded at once in order that enlistment may be complete.

Captain Olson stated Monday that the officers hoped to enlist 24 men at once so that Federal recognition might be completed by January 1st.

Young men interested in enlistment are urged to see either of the two officers, or leave their names at the News office during the coming week so that enlistments may be completed just as soon as the blanks are received, which will be during the coming week.

Headquarters will be at the American Legion Hall until a permanent building may be secured on land east of the Gas company warehouse east of Canyon.

Captain Olson points out that pay for serving in the National Guard is high and the enlistment is attractive to young men who wish to supplement their present earnings.

## Magazine Man Took Colored Shots Museum And Park

William David Bell, one of the foremost color photographers in the United States, recently took pictures at West Texas State College and in nearby Palo Duro State Park.

Bell was on a special assignment for Holiday magazine. His work here was near the end of an assignment to make a "Life in Texas" color photographic series to be used in three separate issues of the noted national travel publication.

Bell and his assistant, Earl Cloburn, have spent more than three months in Texas working on this one assignment.

A member of the American Society of Photographers, Bell said he had enjoyed his Texas trip because it was a homecoming venture to him. He is a former University of Texas student and is a native of Houston.

Chief interest for Bell here was the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society's museum on the campus at West Texas State College. The famed building and abundance of material it houses were fascinating subjects for the noted cameraman. Bell's only regret while here was not enough typical Panhandle weather prevailed. He found cloudy days and rain with the exception of about one hour which he spent frantically photographing the picturesque Palo Duro Canyons.

When he left here last Wednesday Bell had only a few days in and around the ranch country near Muleshoe left on his assignment.

He was scheduled to return to his headquarters in New York within two weeks to begin preparations for a trip to Europe where he will do some special work for life magazine and others.

When it is cold outside it is always warm in the City Cab. Phone 353.



# Editorials

The big hearted people of the Southwest made a notable contribution to the Friendship cause by sending more food, in proportion to the size of the territory worked, than did the famous Friendship train from Hollywood. Naturally this section receives less notice from the people of the nation. Glamorous Hollywood furnished the big send off for the train, but it took the little towns along the line to furnish the real food. The little towns of the middle west made a real contribution to the cause of freedom and friendship, while Hollywood and the big towns and cities furnished the show. Regardless of this, the cause was a challenge to the patriotism of the American people, and they came through with flying colors. What will Stalin have to say about the gift? Probably nothing. Such a thing could not happen in Russia.

If the Republicans want to show that they are real statesmen and patriots let them come forth with a program for whipping inflation rather than spending their time fighting the program set out by the President. During the two years that GOP has controlled Congress, the only program that Senator Taft and other GOP leaders could hatch up was that of stumbling blocks. Any poor fool can throw bricksbats, but it takes real statesmanship to build a constructive program against a real danger to American economy. When the President says "yes," Taft says "no." That is as far as GOP has been able to proceed. Unless a constructive program, one that will hold inflation in check is adopted by the Republicans, they will have little advantage in the 1948 elections. There are many GOP leaders in Congress who see the danger of continuing under the leadership of Taft and his reactionaries.

Those who heard President Truman deliver his message to Congress last week were somewhat worried for fear that rationing would be reinstated by the administration. Those who happened to hear Senator Taft talk Monday night were reassured that the Republicans were not going to stand for a return of price control. The nation has been out from under most of the controls for a year. Prices have advanced, but that is no argument that eventually American common sense will not get control of the situation. While we hold no brief for Senator Taft, and think that he is the weakest aspirant for the GOP nomination, yet he has many good ideas about domestic problems. Scaring the people of the nation and setting up machinery which will encourage black market operations is not a very good way to strengthen the Democratic party in America. The President lost his first bout with Congress, as revealed by the stand of Taft, the recognized leader of GOP in Congress.

To our way of thinking the friendship trains which gathered about 300 carloads of food as a gift of the American people for the distressed people of Europe will do more good than the grants which are being made by Congress. The gifts from the hearts of the American people will be understood and appreciated by the people of Europe. Whereas every European nation has been trying to get its hands into the pocketbook of Uncle Sam, this time they will be given a substantial Christmas gift from the hearts of the American people. No better time Christmas could have been chosen for this gift. And whoever thought up and put the idea into execution deserves a lot of praise.

We are hearing a lot of political talk these days. Local politics will break out about the first of January when candidates will get into the race in earnest. There is talk of several hot county races. The city election will be held in April. So far no city candidates have been put out. This is a very important election, and one that local citizens should carefully consider. By all means get your poll tax so that you will have a voice in these coming elections.

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What a mess; what a mess we are in! Is some one trying to scare the American people, or are we actually facing a war with Russia? The man on the street would like to know who is telling the truth about all this war scare. A speaker of world renown stated only last week that he hears more talk about war in the United States than in the rest of the world combined. This is natural. If Russia is preparing for war, as we are told by other authorities, we shall hear nothing about it until Russia gets ready to strike. In which event, we wonder what could be gained by a war. Russia has nothing that we want; Russia could not possibly conquer the United States. Both nations would be fighting thousands of miles away from home, and with little hope for success, unless the atomic bomb lays waste a greater part of the world. After all, it looks from the grass roots country of Randall county that we are doing a lot of talking and worrying about nothing.

A few years ago, about 30 or 40 to be exact, there were few towns which did not have two to three weekly newspapers—all of them at the point of starvation. Today most county seat towns have but one newspaper, due to the high cost of operation. Most of these newspapers are doing a much better job than in the good old days when the field was overcrowded. Today radio men are beginning to worry. The Federation Communications Commission is allowing radio stations to spring up almost as thick as the hair on a dog's back. Today the air is full of inferior programs and a constant chatter of uninteresting voices. The radio boys are setting up a howl that the field is overrun. In the newspaper field a lot of the boys had to go out after taking a loss. The same will be true in the radio field. This is entirely evident, and no one will dispute the fact who has looked at the question from an unbiased viewpoint.

Governor Earl Warren of California has indicated that he would accept the GOP nomination for president. Four years ago he refused to consider the empty honor, which Governor Dewey accepted. Warren was re-elected governor largely by the vote of Democrats in California, who had more confidence in him than in their own party leaders. President Truman will head the Democratic ticket in 1948. If Warren is named as the GOP candidate, the nation will be in safe hands if the Republicans win. We cannot say the same in the case of Dewey or Taft. And Stassen, as good a man as he seems to be, does not have the strength to overcome the violent opposition of Republican leadership. Pay your poll tax and get ready for the big show of 1948.

Charles Luckman has resigned as head of the government's food conservation program. Luckman was out of luck so far as most of his silly proposals were concerned, but the American people came to his rescue and saved the needed grain for overseas shipment. As a matter of health, most Americans could do with a lot less food; and all public eating places and most families could save a great amount of food by more careful serving, when the need of food is thoroughly understood.

We can understand why the big shots of America would glory in sending lavish gifts to the newly weds in England; and likewise why those same big shots hesitate in making little gifts to the starving people of Europe. There is no glory in doing the little everyday things in life.

It seems that Secretary of State Marshall will tell Stalin at the London conference to either put up or shut up. It looks like Marshall is tired of hearing the Russians yell at him, and spit in his face. The results? You guess.

The drought of 1947 brought water problems to practically all towns of West Texas. And Canyon is not far behind. With the increased number of new houses in Canyon, the water supply must be increased in the very near future.

Here is hoping that all of the people of Randall county will enjoy a good old fashioned Thanksgiving. That means, plenty to eat; plenty to wear; comfortable homes; and freedom from fear of the future.

### SUPPLY AND DEMAND

The following editorial is reprinted from the Wichita Beacon:

"Lack of understanding on the part of men who are running our government appears to be as much to blame for the chaotic condition of prices and supply as any other one factor.

"Remember back in the days of the depression when the government was recommending plowing under crops because they were in too abundant supply? Those same experts today are trying to 'plow under' markets because the demand is too great.

"It doesn't take a student of economics to tell our government that prices are governed almost entirely by supply and demand—regardless of the controls placed on either as an artificial stimulus for increased or decreased prices.

"The plain truth is that our supply is high, but our demand is greater because of the export policies which this country has followed. Suddenly there has been a drastic cut in export allocations of grain and flour in an effort to retard the upward trend of prices.

"Looking back over the years, it isn't difficult to see that history repeats itself. Wheat after the Civil war sold for \$2.85; after the Russo-

## ALMANAC



### NOVEMBER

26—Ninth Continental congress met, 1783.

27—Thanksgiving.

28—Kaiser William renounces right to German throne, 1918.

29—Battle of Knoxville, 1863.

30—Winston Churchill born, 1874.

### DECEMBER

1—U. S. 3rd army reaches Saar river, 1944.

2—President Monroe presents Monroe Doctrine, 1823.

Turkish war it soared to \$2.45; it went to \$1.85 after the Spanish-American war, and to \$3.50 after the first World War.

"Regardless of who is running America, the first truth which must be realized is the old fundamental economic law of supply and demand. It has never failed. It never will, regardless of subsidies, grants, doles, price-pegging or other artificial stimuli. When the supply is good, prices tend to be lower. When supply is short, prices are high (provided there is no price control, in which case the short supply usually finds better customers in the black market—at higher prices).

"We are experiencing high wheat prices because 40 per cent of the crop is going out of the country. We are experiencing high meat prices for the same reason. However, we are witnessing high corn prices because the crop this year was 800,000,000 bushels short because of weather factors. In any instance, the available home supply is not sufficient to meet the demand."

### LET 'ER BURN!

The attitude of the American people toward fire seems to be, "Let 'er burn!"

That is the only way our record fire waste can be explained. This year we will burn some \$600,000,000 worth of property—and 10,000 or more lives will be lost. And, if the rate of increase continues, we will reach the billion-a-year point in a comparatively short time.

This record is a national disgrace. Fire waste involves far more than the destruction of dollar values. It means the loss of irreplaceable resources—the loss of jobs—the loss of taxable assets—the loss of business opportunity—the loss of food,

machinery and other supplies which the whole world needs.

Private and governmental authorities are now carrying on the most aggressive campaign to conquer destructive fire in history. It began last May, when President Truman called a national fire prevention conference in Washington. An all-inclusive program was laid down then, and it is being followed. But any program is doomed to failure unless it is given a full measure of public support. The experts can't lead you around by the hand and force you to make your property safe. They can only advise and instruct. Then, it is up to you.

"As Lenin said 'It is necessary . . . to use any ruse, cunning, unlawful method, evasion, and concealment of the truth' to win the struggle for power, in which the end justifies the means. And it is only nine years ago that Hitler was denouncing as warmongers all those, beginning with Churchill, who opposed his conquest or 'meddled' in the affairs of nations

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he was trying to subjugate. No state can generate by force alone. But the parallelism between the methods of the Kremlin and Hitler is too ominous to be overlooked."—The New York Times.

## 10 ways you can help yourself to good telephone service

Telephoning is easy. But more depends on the user than you perhaps realize. What you do when making or receiving a call often has a lot to do with how satisfactory that call is. Here are ten suggestions:

1. Before you call, make sure of the number.
2. Give the called party time to answer.
3. Speak directly into the mouthpiece.
4. Move the switch hook slowly up and down to recall or signal the operator.
5. Replace the receiver carefully when you have finished talking.
6. Answer calls promptly. It's courteous to do so.
7. Identify yourself. Not everyone recognizes you by your voice.
8. Space calls on party lines. If you have a series of calls to make, allow a few minutes between each one so others can use the line.
9. Keep calls brief on party lines. Other folks on the line will appreciate your thoughtfulness.
10. Avoid calling during busy hours if possible.

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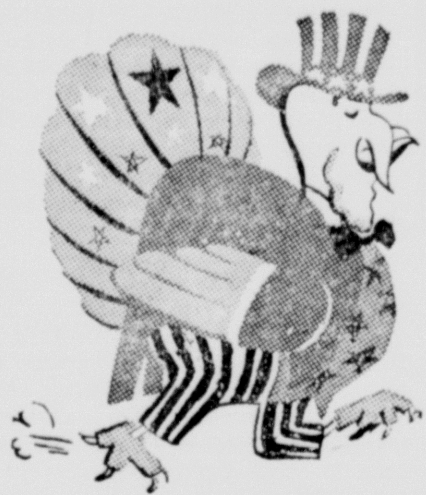
## HAPPY THANKSGIVING and BEST WISHES

In whatever way you spend Thanksgiving Day, we hope you enjoy it as a day of happiness.

We also want you to know that we appreciate the friendship and consideration which has been accorded us this past year, and in years past.

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### Happy Birthday

November 28th—  
Andy Walsh  
L. A. Donnell  
Joe Baber  
Edna Ann Taylor

November 29th—  
Lyn Paul  
Mrs. Silas Hart  
J. W. Shook  
Mark Foster  
Charles Ford

November 30th—  
Mrs. Tom Gerald  
Robert Avent  
A. B. Holt  
Mrs. Clyde Davis  
Mrs. Lula Collins  
Mrs. Milton Dooley  
Joe Frank  
Alice Aragon  
Virginia Ann Jarrett  
Joyce Shelnett  
John Brandt  
Mrs. B. B. Bullard  
Mrs. E. L. Braddock

December 1st—  
Tom Gerald  
Lloyd Brooks  
A. A. McMillan  
Mrs. Tom Knighton  
Mrs. W. C. Black  
E. I. Boyce  
Mitt Fox

December 2nd—  
Blake Zachry  
Mrs. Hudson Prichard, Jr.  
Mrs. Augusta Hancock  
Thomas William Cage

December 3rd—  
Carrol Ray Dickerson  
Mrs. John Guthrie  
Mrs. W. H. Upchurch  
Troy Wayne Sharpes  
Annette Dugan  
Sarah Felice (Sally) Foster  
James Hodges

December 4th—  
Elmer Hartman  
Frank Patterson  
Gene Peppard  
Max Pius Hoffman  
Help Keep Canyon Clean!

### News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of November 23, 1922)

Plans are being made to put on a regional fair in Amarillo next fall. More than \$2,500 has been pledged to build Mary E. Hudspeth Hall, a new dormitory for girls. It is hoped to start construction in the near future.

Sheriff W. C. Black found a booze still in the south part of the county, but the owner had left the state. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Artho.

The election for a \$100,000 bond issue to build a new high school building will be held on Nov. 29.

Common school districts 2 and 18 were consolidated with the Canyon Independent School District by a vote of 54 to 4. This was the final step in plans started in March for the consolidation.

Forty farmers have pledged to plant 835 acres of cotton next year in order to secure a cotton gin in Canyon.

#### TRY IT SOMETIME

The old mountaineer gran'paw was sitting in his favorite rocker on the front porch of his little cabin. He was rocking leisurely east and west.

Sitting beside him, rocking north and south, was his youngest son Bub, an innocent little shaver of forty-two.

Without turning his head, the old man said: "Sonny boy, 'sno use t' wear yerself out thataway. Rock with the grain and save yer stren'th."

The parent who uses the rod to punish a disobedient child demonstrates his own inferiority.—Dr. Gilbert J. Rich, director, Milwaukee County Guidance Clinic.

### Upon This Occasion

## Thanksgiving

We want you to know that we deeply appreciate the patronage and considerations which you have shown us during the time we have operated this business . . . and that we shall continue to give you the best merchandise and service which is humanly possible.

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## Thanksgiving 1947

This year we approach Thanksgiving in the devout spirit of our Puritan ancestors who gave thanks for what, today, would seem very meager blessings. Our spirit is humble as we express gratitude for the mighty heritage which is ours to defend—and we are grateful for the Victories which are coming to us—and for the Victories which must yet come before the forces of evil are vanquished.

For the blessings which are ours—Freedom of Speech and of Worship—we give thanks; and pray that we may be truly worthy of these blessings.

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## Bailey-Kyle Vows Read in Amarillo

Mrs. Mary Burtz attended the wedding in Amarillo Sunday of her granddaughter, Miss Madge Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bailey of this city, to Onan Kyle. Vows were exchanged in the First Baptist Church at 12:30 p. m. and a reception was given in the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

The bride is an ex-student of West Texas State College.

Also present for the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Piner Stevens and baby of this city. Mr. Stevens served the bridegroom as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Buren Fewell and Clyde of Adrain and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fewell and children of Hale Center visited in Canyon Sunday with Mrs. Mary Burtz.

## SUE HITE CLUB PRESENTS MAGAZINES TO BOYS RANCH

Mrs. Herschel Coffee introduced the program when the Sue Hite Club met in the Thompson Club room Monday afternoon at 3:30. Mrs. W. A. Miller discussed the "Rights of Man," and Mrs. W. F. Haggard told of "Our Religious Heritage," to continue the study of the "Theory of Democracy."

The club has contributed a series of magazines for Boys Ranch at Spring Lake, and the Christmas exchange of gifts will be sent to a worthy cause.

Mrs. R. A. Neblett, president of the Woman's Book Club, has extended in invitation for Sue Hite members to be guests at their Christmas program, Dec. 10, at 3 p. m. in Cousins Hall.

Welcomed as new members are: Mrs. W. A. Moore, Mrs. Leonard Britt, Mrs. Charles Duval, Mrs. Borden Price and Mrs. W. J. Wooten, Jr. Christmas program for the Sue

Hite Club will be held on December 8, when the topic, "Christmas of Other Years," is to be presented. "A Group of Christmas Paintings," will be described by Mrs. A. G. Kieselbach. "The Gospel Story" will be related by Mrs. Levi Cole, and a sheaf of Christmas Songs will be given by the club.

Present were: Mesdames W. A. Miller, B. T. Simon, Sidney Burgess, Borden Price, Gordon Lyons, D. M. Foster, A. G. Kieselbach, Jerry Newman, D. B. Gragg, Crannell Tolliver, Robert P. Jarrett, W. F. Haggard, Herschel Coffee, Larry Holman, Hud Prichard, Hatcher Brown, Charles Duval, W. E. Miller, Frank Morgan, Aubrey Crossland, Noble Armstrong, Crews Henry and Burney Slack.

Under the austerity program, Princess Elizabeth gets no honeymoon abroad, no "new look" clothes. As far as royalty is concerned, no one can say that Britannia waives the rules.

## Ticklers

By George



"Don't ever discuss prices with her. Twice in the last week she told me she can remember when butter was eight cents a pound and eggs six cents a dozen—and every saloon had a free lunch!"

## BOBBY HAGGARD HONORED AT THIRD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Bobby Haggard, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haggard, celebrated his third birthday Nov. 21, with a party. The small guests were entertained by stories read to the group by Mrs. Stuart Condron, Jr.

After the gift packages were opened by the honoree, the children enjoyed playing with the toys.

Refreshments were served from a table centered with a birthday cake bearing three candles. Groups of large pink, yellow and blue balloons were arranged as bouquets at the ends of the table and were given to the guests as favors. Places were marked with pink and blue cups of candy centered with small flags bearing the names. Pink and blue crepe paper hats were also at each place and were worn by the children while they were at the table.

When the candles were lighted, Jan Newman lead the group in singing "Happy Birthday." The birthday cake and punch were served to the little guests. Cake and coffee were served to the mothers of the children.

Small guests and their mothers invited were: Bob Condron and Mrs. Stuart Condron, Jr.; Ronald Lloyd Rogers, Mrs. George Rogers; Linda and Steve Burgess, Mrs. Sidney Burgess; Ernest and Robert Gragg, Mrs. Donald Gragg; Billy Moore, Mrs. William A. Moore; Cindy McGregor, Mrs. W. T. McGregor; Jan Newman, Mrs. M. J. Newman; Davis Price, Mrs. Borden Price; Donna Jennings, Mrs. R. H. Jennings.

## MRS. HUD PRICHARD IS 1925 BRIDGE HOSTESS

1925 Bridge Club members were entertained Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Hud Prichard. A dessert course with coffee was served by the hostess at the refreshment hour.

Present were: Mrs. Frank R. Phillips, Mrs. Herschel Coffee, Mrs. Glenn Dowlen, Mrs. Jerry Newman, Mrs. Gordon Lyons, Mrs. George Nance, Mrs. J. L. Duffot, Mrs. Ray McReynolds, Mrs. J. J. Walker, Mrs. J. M. Daugherty, Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Mrs. J. S. Humphreys, Mrs. Ples Harper, Mrs. R. A. Terrell, Mrs. F. E. Savage, and Mrs. Gus Miller.

## EPISCOPAL GUILD HEARS MRS. JOSEPHINE HUFF

All Saints Episcopal Guild met Wednesday evening, Nov. 19, at the home of Mrs. Donald Gragg. Mrs. Josephine S. Huff was guest speaker and gave a very interesting account of missions in Nevada.

After the brief business session, a social hour was held.

Members present were: Mrs. Warren Parker, Mrs. G. E. Clark, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Frank Kimbrough, Mrs. Everett Glenn, Mrs. Charles Joyner, Miss Jane Darland and the hostess, Mrs. Gragg.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, Dec. 3, in the home of Mrs. Frank Kimbrough.

Miss Wilma Hixson, teacher in Amarillo Public Schools, is in St. Louis this week attending the National Council for Social Studies.

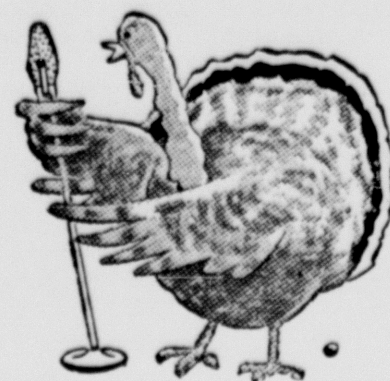
Mr. and Mrs. L. Wirt were in Amarillo Monday attending to business.

Miss Mary Lee Abbott of Borger spent Sunday visiting with friends in Canyon.

George Brasuel of Amarillo was here Sunday to visit with his mother, Mrs. Hatjie Brasuel.

Romania's young King Michael may have trouble holding on to his throne. He came to the defence of Juliu Maniu, one of the Peasant Party leaders brought to trial for treason by the Communists. Ex-King Carol, now in Lisbon, is looking for a chance to get back on the throne occupied by his son, and the Romanian Communists are trying to negotiate an agreement for his return.

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To cut timber waste in Europe, the Food and Agriculture Organization has opened a forestry office in Geneva, Switzerland. Timber shortages indirectly retard food production and distribution, the FAO reports. One example cited as the need for pit crops in coal mines, which are being called upon to provide fuel for the manufacture of fertilizers.

The United Nations General Assembly is so far behind in its work schedule that the suggestion is being made that the delegates, when they reach their regular adjournment time, merely recess instead. Under this idea, the present Assembly would be reconvened after Christmas.

Military experts expect the Communist offensive in China to bog down before the end of the month. They do not expect a resumption of major operations until after the winter. Meanwhile, the Chinese Communists probably will concentrate in harassing tactics.

I don't know how much I learned at school. This is heresay, but what you learn there is not very important. It's the habits you form, the approach you take to a problem, the power of analysis that study gives you—those are the big things.—Philip Reed, chairman, General Electric Co.

Gen MacArthur told me when I was in Tokyo to tell the President that if any general ran against him the name would be Eisenhower.—Sen. Owen Brewster (R-Me.).

The money that is saved on education this year will be spent later on jails and reformatories.

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No. 1 Idaho Russets 10 lbs. POTATOES .. 49c

Crisp Bleached Stalk CELERY ..... 19c

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The Commissioners Court of Randall County has authorized the Tax Collector to give the discount on all taxes as provided by the recent legislature as follows:

2 per cent if paid during November, 1947

1 per cent if paid during December, 1947

This discount is on all State and County taxes that are collected by the County Tax Collector and also applies to all Common School District taxes collected at this office.

M. E. Cantrell

Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector  
Randall County, Texas



Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Johnston of Irving spent the week end visiting with friends here. Mr. Johnston directed the singing at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mote and son, Charles Lee Graham, of Pampa spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. Ruth Costley. Mrs. Mote is a niece of Mrs. Costley.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hufnagle were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Edlin of Amarillo.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rogers was Mrs. Elva Massey of Lubbock. Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Massey visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. J. D. McElroy left Tuesday to go to Des Moines, N. M., where she will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives.

Miss Mary Nell Morris was the guest last week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris.

Bill Knighton of Plainview spent the week end visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knighton.

A. L. Hurst of Olton is in Canyon visiting with his brother, Frank Hurst, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis.

Mrs. J. D. Key and Mrs. Leslie Key visited in Lubbock Monday with relatives.

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Mrs. Jack Harding and son, Benjamin Rogers Harding, of Dallas are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Louder.

I wish that just once, when a radio announcer is going through his syrupy commercials, I could say, "Aw, keep quiet," and he could hear me.—Joan Bennett, movie actress.

Industrial power from wind is the goal of an experiment now being undertaken in the Russian zone of Germany. A test station for the purpose is being built at Rostock.

Some of the most influential men in Britain's Labor Party are inclined to look lightly upon the financial abilities of Hugh Dalton, the Chancellor of the Exchequer. They say that Dalton's chief value to the Government is the fact that he is the most skillful parliamentarian in the cabinet, one of the few men who can meet Winston Churchill on the same ground on the niceties of legislative rules.

For the first time since the war, competition is developing among American Oil companies to get concessions outside the United States. One new firm is talking terms with Yemen, a little known Arab country, and another is seeking rights in the Kuwait neutral zone, near the Persian Gulf. Other companies are interested in Peru, Colombia and Ecuador.

The giant pandas in China are becoming extinct. But nothing of the kind seems to be possible with China's civil war.

## Texas Press Association Sees Dawn of A New Era

December 1 will mark the dawn of a new era for the Texas Press Association in the opinion of Paul Fulks, president of the Texas association and publisher of the Wolfe City Sun.

On that date the daily and weekly newspapers of Texas join hands to open their own central office with a full-time staff of experienced press association workers in charge.

Texas Press Association directors have contracted with Vernon T. Sanford, for 13 years secretary-manager of the Oklahoma Press Association, to manage the Texas association. Officials of the Texas organization are now endeavoring to locate office headquarters in Dallas.

Said Fulks, "Our central office will issue information bulletins to the newspapers, serve as an employment bureau for newspaper workers, look after the legislative interests of the publications, represent our newspapers in the sale of political and state advertising, and arrange our convention programs."

The TPA president also stated that "our plans call for activities not alone in the interest of the press of Texas, but for the state in general. Details of a promotion program for Texas will be announced as soon as the central office can complete arrangements with other interested groups and individuals who want to see the great state of Texas grow greater and greater."

Sanford has been with the Okla-



VERNON T. SANFORD

lahoma organization since August 1, 1934. Prior to then he was manager of the Nebraska Press Association.

He is a native Oklahoman. His newspaper training was received in the Sooner State over a period of 15 years, on the Chickasha Daily Express, Norman Transcript, Anadarko Daily News, and the semi-weekly Cleveland County Democrat - News. He has been a carrier boy, printer's devil, assistant pressman, reporter, classified advertising manager, display advertising manager, and part-owner.

Sanford is a past-president of the Advertising Club of Oklahoma City; the Oklahoma City Chapter of the Southwestern Association of Industrial Editors; and of Newspaper Association Managers. He served for two years as chairman of National Newspaper Week and editor of the NAM Bulletin. He is a member of the board of directors of the Better Business Bureau of Oklahoma City and an honorary member of the board of directors of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member of the Oklahoma City Camera Club, the Midwest Circulation Managers' Assn., the International Council of Industrial Editors, and the Newspaper Advertising Executives Assn.

He belongs to the Legion of Honor of the Order of DeMolay, the Masonic Lodge, and the Methodist Church.

The new Texas manager is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, with an AB in Journalism; and holds a Master of Arts degree from the University of Missouri. He was awarded a Fellowship by the University of Missouri and was presented with the first Merit Award given to graduates of the University of Oklahoma's school of journalism for accomplishments in their chosen profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford will establish a home in Dallas. They have two children, a daughter Gaye, 17 years; and a son, Sandy, 14.

### ATTENTION!

Critic: "It strikes me as being an impressive statue, yet isn't that rather an odd posture for a general to assume?"

Sculptor: "Well, it isn't my fault. You see, I had the work half completed when the committee decided they couldn't afford a horse for the general."

The approach of congressional debate over aid to Europe speeded up negotiations between Canada and the United States over an American loan to the Dominion. Although no official announcement was made at the time, Canadian officials began dickering with Washington on ways to break the dollar shortage long before Congress got all the details on the European aid program.

Like the weather, they're always going to do something about Franco, but never do. This is the little statesman who for years has been in the middle he played both ends against.

Some people are born failures, some meet with misfortune, and some, like the Communists, nurse a perennial desire to get something for nothing.

### CASE IS FAMILIAR

How often must I hide my shame When meeting some swell guy Of whom I can't recall his name, No matter how I try.

He seems to know me very well; His face does look familiar. He says: "Old boy, you're looking swell!"

Which makes me feel still sillier.

Yet on occasion, ere we part, My stalling wins a breather: He calls me "Joe"—my name is "Art"— He doesn't know me, either!

High prices are reported to be deferring marriages, an inevitable consequence of the discovery that one can't live as cheaply as one, any more.

In the Balkans there is never a dull moment. Which, in a nutshell, is what is wrong with the Balkans.

Mr. Truman's long awaited views on food indicate that he is in favor of it.

Britain's miners have struck in spite of the Labor Government. An underground movement, so to speak.

### LOOKS THAT WAY

"Mother," said little Mahel, "do missionaries go to heaven?"

"Why, of course, dear," her mother replied.

"Do cannibals?"

"No; I'm afraid they don't."

"But, mother," the little girl insisted, "if a cannibal eats a missionary, he'll have to go, won't he?"

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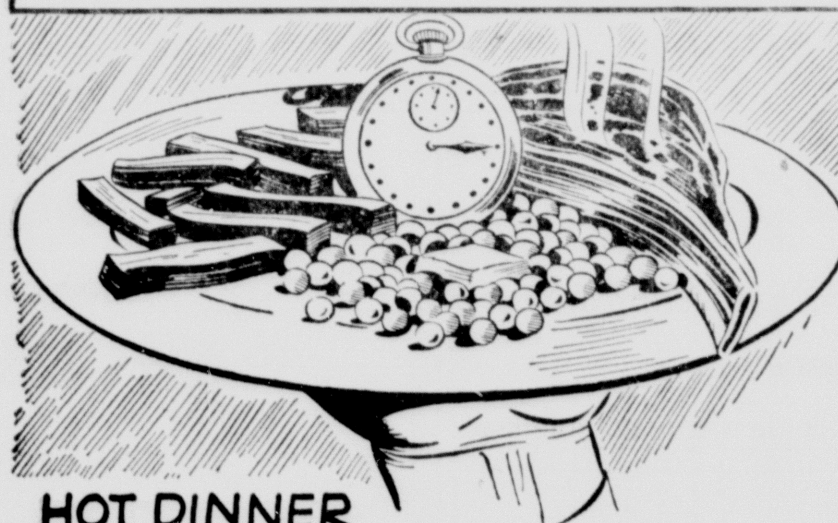
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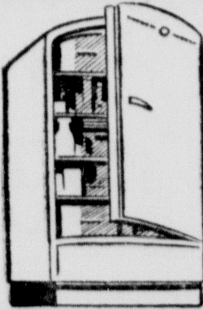
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All those who operate motorbikes must have Texas Drivers' Licenses. Examinations for these licenses are given each Monday at the Court House. The law is the same for the operation of a car, motor-cycle and motorbike.

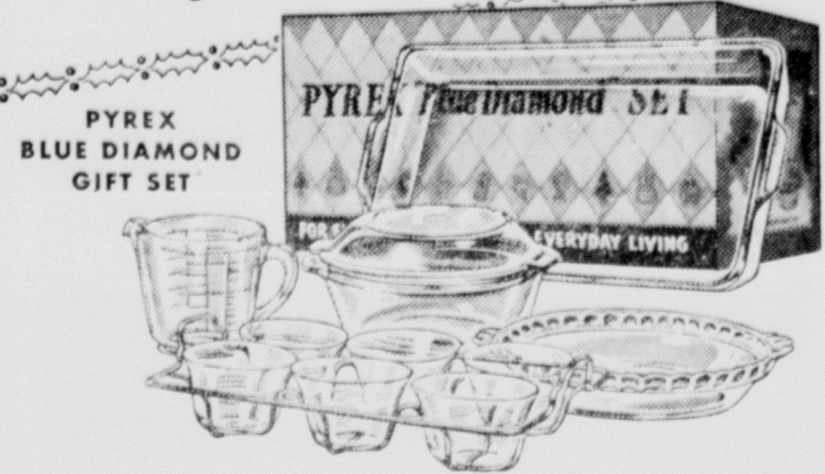
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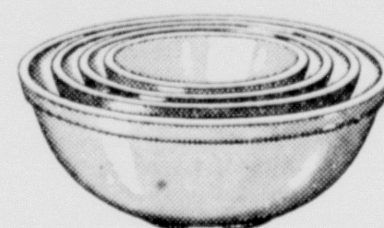
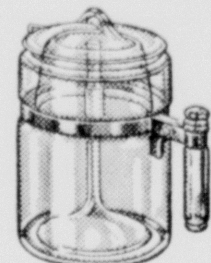
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## Buffalo Basketballers Begin Season Play on December 1

Basketball season is only one week away as the Buffalo squad is working out every day in preparation for the first game against Northwest Oklahoma State December 1.

Last week the team worked on the various types of defense to be used during the season and they scrimmaged the Amarillo Junior College Badgers to get in shape.

The squad this year is made up of 13 men, of whom six are juniors, six are sophomores and one is a freshman. Six of the squadmen on the team this season are lettermen.

The Buffs again have a chance of becoming the "World's Tallest Basketball Team" as they could average well over six feet. Tallest man on the squad is Charles Barnard, sophomore from White Deer, who towers above the ground 6 feet 8 inches. Shortest player on the squad is Sammy Malone, sophomore from Stratford who stands 5 feet 10 inches.

A new floor in Burton Gymnasium has given additional incentive to the players to have a good team this year. The floor is decorated with a huge star in the center and adds much-needed beauty to the gym.

Head basketball coach W. A. "Gus" Miller said he was pleased so far with the way the team is shaping up and that he hopes the season is one that the students can be proud of. He did not, however, express any undue optimistic attitude on the race for Border Conference championship.

Members of the 1947-48 basketball squad include:

Bill Allen, sophomore guard of Stratford, who played his freshman year at WT in 1944-45. He returned this year after serving in the Merchant Marine.

Charles Barnard, sophomore center from White Deer, captain of the great 1946-47 freshman team.

Bill Birdwell, sophomore forward from Dimmitt, who was all-state for his high school team. Bill was also a member of the freshman team last year.

Boyce Box, junior from Fort Worth, big, 6 foot 4 inch letterman from the 1946-47 team, will be a key man on the Buffs this year. Boyce played his freshman year in 1943 with the varsity team. He plays forward.

Twin brother to Boyce, also a junior from Fort Worth, Cloyce Box

is a guard on the Buffs. He also stands 6 feet 4 inches and played his freshman year in 1943. Cloyce was a Buff football letterman this year.

Also a letterman from last year is Glynn Braden, another center who stands 6 feet 5 inches high. Glynn is a junior from Sherman who shoots left handed and is a definite threat to the basket from almost any position.

Neil "Pinky" Jackson, junior guard from Stratford, is another 1946-47 letterman. Pinky was made all-district and all-regional in high school basketball.

Charles Kitchens, sophomore guard from Childress, is the other man on the squad who is a letterman in football. Charles was all-state in basketball in Childress high school.

Younger brother to Charles is Hubert Kitchens, also from Childress, who plays an aggressive game and is a fast man on the court. He was a guard on the freshman team last year.

Another sophomore guard who played on the freshman team last year is Sammy Malone, from Stratford. He is brother to All-American J. W. Malone. Sammy was also an all-state selection in high school.

Bill Miller, junior forward from Canyon, is a letterman from last year. Bill is son of coach W. A. Miller, and is a deadly shot from almost any position.

Charles Richardson is the only freshman on the varsity roster this year. Charles, standing 6 feet 6 inches and playing center, comes from Phillips.

Sophomore Don Woods, forward from Clayton, New Mexico, is a transfer from New Mexico University where he earned his freshman letter in basketball. He was an all-state player in high school.

If I had it to do over again, I would spend more of the early formative years in study.—Roy B. White, president, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

### TRUE STORY

In a certain school in New York there was a teacher, an energetic advocate of "Safety First," who opened her class each morning by rising and asking: "Children, what would you do if fire were to break out in this building?" The children would reply in chorus: "We would rise in our places, step into the aisle and march quietly out of the building."

One morning when the children arrived at school they found themselves honored by the presence of the well known and beloved Dr. Henry van Dyke. The teacher stepped forward before the class and, instead of the usual fire drill question, said, "Children, what would you say if I were to tell you that Dr. van Dyke is to speak to you this morning?"

Instantly from the class came the resounding chorus: "We would rise in our places, step into the aisle and march quietly out of the building."

### MAIN ATTRACTION

An old lady, who was about to die, told her niece to bury her in her black silk dress, but to cut the back out and make herself a dress.

"Oh, Aunt Mary," said the niece, "I don't want to do that. When you and Uncle Charlie walk up the golden stairs, I don't want people to see you without any back in your dress."

To which the old lady replied: "They won't be looking at me. I buried your Uncle Charlie without his pants."

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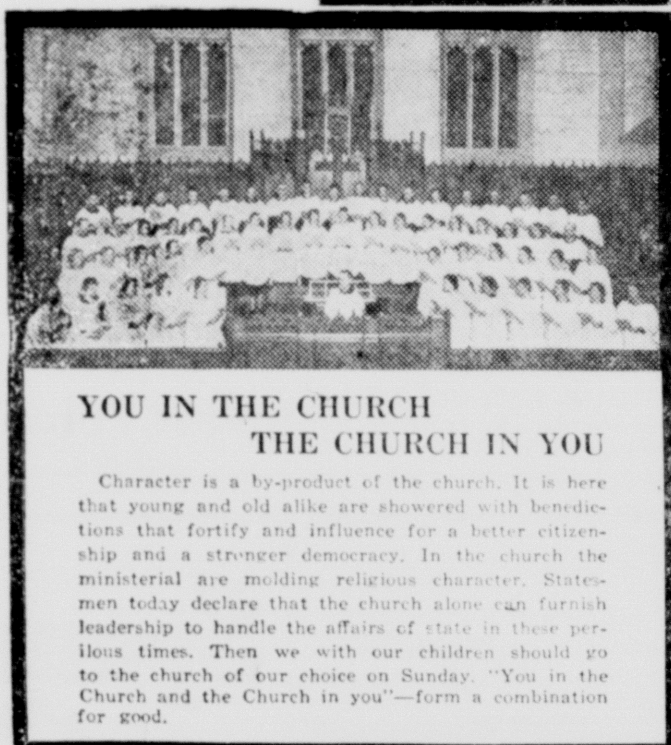
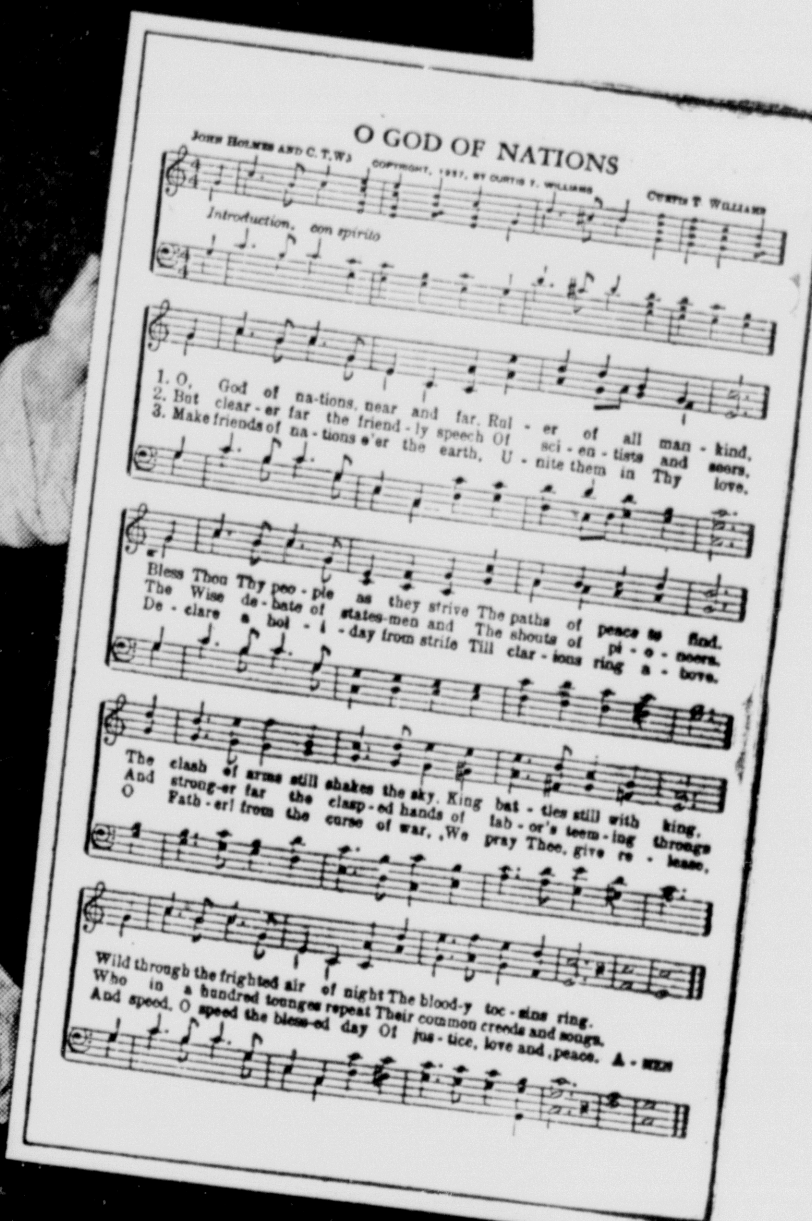
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## Sunny Hill News

We had a little more moisture the past week, but could use quite a bit more.

Those shopping in Canyon Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith and son, Lowell; Mrs. Panny Goodnight and son, Robert; Mrs. Ossie Pruett, Mrs. Alvin Sykes and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dugan visited in their parents' homes over the week end.

Quite a few farmers think the wheat will come up now, some think it will have to have more moisture before it will come up.

Mr. and Mrs. Orva Henry and daughter, Betty; Mrs. R. N. Henry and Arthur were Amarillo shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith and Lowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Orva Henry and family last Sunday night a week ago.

We hear R. B. Gist is planning to put down some irrigation wells in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Groom of Midland visited the O. A. Smith family and other friends this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robinson Mr. and Mrs. Orva Henry and Cecil Henry attended the Happy football game at Kress last Thursday.

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airplane. The world has changed from guess work to facts, and progresses as facts are put to work.

Mr. Stout closed his talk with the thought: "In research men discover the powers which were put here by the Creator for the benefit of mankind."

The meeting was closed in time to attend the play which was being put on at the college auditorium by the Speech Department.

Music was furnished during the dinner by the College Chamber Music Society, under the direction of Jerry Newman.

## Palo Duro News

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Jackson and Jerry Wayne of Plainview spent Thursday night in the Uil C. Gunter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tacek and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Leseberg and Gladys visited in the Clarence Beckman and C. W. Bauer homes Sunday.

The Lutheran Young People of this community enjoyed a social afternoon and evening at the Lutheran Parish Hall and the Roller Palace in Amarillo Sunday. Fifty-two Walther Leaguers from Pampa, Yulia, Shamrock, and Amarillo were present.

Visitors in the Uil C. Gunter home Sunday afternoon were Mrs. C. O. Elkins, Mrs. Carl Hair, Mrs. Lonnie Ryers, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wilkinson, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tacek, David and Robert, visited in the Henry Miller home Sunday evening.

Two little children were playing. One pretended that she wanted to rent the others' house.

"Have you any parents?" the playhouse owner asked. "Yes," said the other little girl, "two." "I'm sorry," said the little landlady. "I never rent to children with parents, they're so destructive."

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

## Chapel Drive Is Praised by Daily Newspaper

The following editorial in the Amarillo News is timely in the campaign to complete the chapel on the campus of West Texas State:

Dr. J. A. Hill, who retires next year as president of West Texas State College at Canyon after almost a lifetime of service to the school, has long dreamed of a chapel on the campus, a non-sectarian place of Christian worship and meditation. There is no doubt that Dr. Hill can retire with complete satisfaction with the task he has finished only if the chapel is assured.

The building has been designed. It would include a sanctuary seating 120 persons. As planned, the building will cost \$50,000. Gifts have come from more than 300 persons, and the fund is only \$12,000 short of the goal. The hope of Dr. Hill and others is that the construction contract can be let not later than March 1, 1948.

The college has published a bulletin on the chapel plans. The feeling of Dr. Hill is expressed in the bulletin as follows:

1. That all the rights and privileges that inhere in the democratic way of life find their origin in the Christian faith and depend for their security upon the godliness of our people.

2. That enlightened mind in tune with the infinite is our only and final protection against every kind of unsavory "ism."

3. That schools and colleges, public or less than private, and sectarian, carry heavy responsibility for the moral and spiritual integrity that is essential to the preservation of human liberty.

4. That every good citizen is morally obligated to assist, to the limit of his ability, in throwing about all places where youth are taught, the mantle of Christian idealism—the sanction of a religion rooted in the love of God and in complete faith in His sovereignty.

5. That it is the patriotic duty of this institution to uphold, in every legitimate way, those ideals and principles that the Godly founders of this republic wrote into its fundamental law and upon which our country has moved to the greatest position of honor and responsibility ever attained by any people in the history of man.

There is no doubt that the chapel would be a great asset to the college, the students and the teachers. Religion is not taught in state

## THANKSGIVING IS A TIME OF SUMMING UP

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schools, such as West Texas State, but there is nothing to prevent the practice of religion.

In a way, this chapel is a challenge to the Christian people of the Panhandle: it would take little effort to complete the fund and construct the building. Thanksgiving gifts from comparatively few of the Christian people in the area would put the fund over the top. Every campus should have a place for worship and meditation.

Mrs. W. E. Lane of Amarillo was in Canyon Monday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Jim Johnson. She will leave Dec. 4, to go to California where she will visit with two daughters, Miss Mabel Bishop and Mrs. R. S. Wilson, both of Los Angeles. Mrs. Wilson is the former Maudie Bishop. All are former residents of this city.

Mrs. D. C. Chambers of Paris, Texas, has been spending a few days in Canyon at Rest Cottage with her husband's mother, Mrs. D. A. Chambers, and her aunt, Miss Moss Richardson.

Mrs. J. E. Beigel left the past week to go to Kansas City after visiting her for the past several weeks in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Owens of Amarillo were weeks and guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burnard. Mrs. Owens is a sister of Mrs. Burnard.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cunningham were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Cunningham, of Muleshoe.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of new inventions have gone underground in Germany. There is evidence that German scientists are holding back because they have no patent rights. Some economists in Berlin believe there are enough salable patents now in hiding to put a large part of the bill for feeding Germany.

A customs union is being considered by officials of Argentina and Paraguay. Approval would make possible duty-free shipments of goods from one country to the other. Argentina, meanwhile, is offering to lend money to Paraguay for industrial and agricultural development and for road building.

Tugsovia has concluded a trade agreement with Italy which, if it works as planned, will make the Italian nation one of the foremost customers and suppliers of Marshal Tito's regime.

An irrigation project to add two million acres to India's farm lands is under way in the Province of Madras. An annual yield of a million tons of food grains is predicted for the area to be irrigated.

Port improvements costing \$30 million have been authorized by the Venezuelan Government. The harbors of Maracaibo, La Guaira, El Cuy, and Puerto de la Cruz are included in this program.

Any attempts to revise the Taft-Hartley act during the special session will be resisted. Senate and House leaders argue that revisiting the act would become a political football.

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## Last Tilt Against NM Decides Buff Standing

When the Buffs take on the University of New Mexico next week they will be striving to keep third place in the Border Conference standings, after their defeat of Tempe Saturday.

It is interesting to note that in conference play the Buffs, while losing two games, have more than doubled the points made by their opponents and have not lost a game by more than 21 points. The 21-point defeat was inflicted by the power laden Hardin-Simmons Cowboys whose little Wilton "Hook"

Davis made more yardage than the entire Buffalo team.

Up to the Hardin-Simmons game the Buffs had one of the best defensive averages in the nation. School of Mines held the Buffs to their lowest offensive winning score, 14-0, while the Colorado Tigers felt

the full fury of the Buffs losing 40-7. Other teams to fall beneath the Thundering Herd are New Mexico A&M 34-7, and Arizona State of Flagstaff 25-0.

The Kimbrough-coached team, while having no individual stars, has managed either to outscore their opponent or to hold them in practically one spot to keep them from scoring. While no one player has stood out the entire season, there has been little Bill Cross, the "Canadian Scooter" and Eddie Conner along with Cloyce Box, Lloyd Johnson, Berl Pruitt, Junior Melton and Charles "Wire" Wright to give the added scoring punch at the necessary time. Outstanding line play by Homer "Buck" Garrett, Noel Cudd, Harold Dalton, Pete Bromley and Duane Byars has made the Buff line one to be feared.

Taking Drake University last week to the tune of 8-7, they limited Drake to only 55 yards net while they made 235. This is a pretty strong hint that the Loboes will also have a strong defensive line with the necessary scoring punch when needed.

The week before the Loboes romped over Fresno State 34-3, while the preceding week they held Texas Mines to a 20-20 tie. On a comparative basis of teams played and lost the Buffs show a slight pregame offensive edge. However the Loboes hold the advantage of playing on their home field.

Should the University of New Mexico get by Texas Tech this week without too many injuries you can bet that it will be a bang up game with both teams playing their best offensive and defensive game of the

year.

The Loboes, coached by Berl Huffman, who is almost as pessimistic as Frank Kimbrough, will bemoan the fact that his team hasn't a chance in the world until he has the fans believing him and then surprise everyone by winning one more.

The Loboes' passing attack which had failed to click all season came to life in the Fresno game and will have to be watched along with the running attack which goes with it. Coach Huffman has been using his lighter backs most of the season, but when they fail to gain the necessary yardage he can rely on his sluggers to carry the ball.

### FLESHER AND SHAVER HOSTESS TO BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB

On Wednesday evening Miss Mayme Shaver and Mrs. C. R. Fleisher were hostesses to members and guests of the Business Women's Club in the home of Mrs. C. R. Fleisher.

At the brief business meeting plans for the Christmas party on December 17 in the home of Miss Irene Angel were made.

The following officers for the new year were elected: Dr. Leta Boswell, president; Mrs. K. E. Frieze, vice-president; Mrs. Pat Shepherd, secretary-treasurer.

At the conclusion of the games pumpkin pie, with whipped cream, nuts, mints, and coffee were served to Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Miss Irene Angel, Mrs. Felix Pierce, Mrs. Pat Shepherd, Mrs. R. E. Ball, Mrs. K. E. Frieze, Mrs. Faye Kennedy, Mrs. Clay Cooper, Dr. Boswell, Mrs. Berl Mayfield, Mrs. O. W. Parker and Mrs. Guy B. Tabor, members; and Miss Billie B. Fleisher, Mrs. Gladdis Samples, and Mrs. James Cole, guests.

Miss Angel won high score; Mrs. Samples won low; and Mrs. Tabor won the prize for having made game the most times during the evening.

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### Fairview Breezes

We enjoyed the dedication services Sunday for Brother Wilcoxon conducted by Brother Shaw of Happy. The charge was rendered by Brother Odell, a brother-in-law of Brother Wilcoxon.

The weather has been snowy and cold most of the week, but not much moisture has fallen.

Mrs. G. E. Wesley took Marie Evans to the doctor Wednesday. Marie and Loveta Evans have been on the sick list.

Nan Eayrle Shipman had an attack of appendicitis Saturday night.

Mrs. S. F. Sharpes and Mrs. E. M. Wilson entertained this community with a party in the home of Mrs. E. M. Wilson Saturday evening. A good time was enjoyed by all present. Soda pop and cookies were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen and Bettie are moving back to our community. We are glad to have these fine young people.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Foster, a son last Wednesday in a Tulsa hospital. Mrs. Foster will be remembered as June Gazaway.

The Centerview Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Friday afternoon. Final plans were made for the club Christmas tree.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends for their deeds of kindness as well as the beautiful floral offerings which were extended to us upon the recent death of our loved one, Frank Dorris.

Mrs. Frank Dorris and Janie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fields and Vonnice

Mrs. Edith Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Parker, Sr., of Independence, Mo., will arrive this week for a visit in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Parker, Jr., and Karen Sue.

Mrs. Walter Graham returned to her home Wednesday of last week from San Antonio where she had been for the past two weeks for medical treatment.

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# Dr. Roy Smith To Speak Here Next Week

## LECTURER



DR. ROY L. SMITH  
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Dr. Roy L. Smith, the first Willson lecturer of 1947, will be a member of the campus community December 2-5.

Dr. Smith has been editor of the Christian Advocate, organ of the largest church in America, since 1940. In 1935 he was named one of the most representative ministers of the Methodist church in the United States.

His academic experiences are represented by a B. A. from Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas, by D. D. and B. D. from Garrett Bible Institute, and M. A. from Northwestern University. Eight honorary degrees conferred upon him by colleges in every section of the country are proof of his wide variety of achievements.

"The Young Christian and His Community," "What Can We Believe," and "How Your Bible Grew Up" are a few of the many books written by Dr. Smith.

Pastorates in Chicago, Los Angeles, and western Kansas (his home is in Wilmette, Minneapolis) have enabled him to understand American youth.

All lectures at the college will be at 11 o'clock on the following dates: December 2—"Our World Can Be Trusted."

December 3—"Life Can Be Lived." December 4—"Man is a Great Creature." December 5—"A Belief in Two Worlds."

While in this locality he also will address the Lions Club, Rotary Club, Polk Street Methodist Church, and the Canyon Methodist Church.

Dr. Smith is widely known and admired as a great religious leader and thinker, not only by the Methodists, but by all churches throughout the nation.

Four of Canyon's musical organizations will furnish numbers on the Willson Lecture Series programs.

On December 2, the Canyon High School Choir, directed by M. D. Shepherd, will sing arrangements of "Faith of Our Fathers" and "Thy Will Be Done" by Weber. Members of the senior classes of the Canyon High School and the Demonstration High School and their parents will be invited as special guests on that day, and arrangements will be made

for them to sit in specially designated seats.

As a feature of the second day's program, the West Texas Demonstration High School Choir, under the direction of Miss Ada V. Clark, will sing "To Our Alma Mater" by Watt-Haydn and "May Peace Abide" by Schubert.

The Women's Chorus of the College, directed by Miss Matilda Gaume and with Nina Jo Dunn and Madelle Beavers as accompanists, will sing "A Brown Bird Singing" by Wood, and "The Christ of the Snow" a Hungarian Christmas Carol, arranged by Gaul, as the musical feature of the program Wednesday, December 3.

On the final day of the series, the Mens' Chorus, under the direction of Dr. Wallace R. Clark, will sing, "Thanks Be To God" by Dickson-Salter, and "Send Forth Thy Spirit" by Schuetky. Mr. Dan Gillham is accompanist for the Mens' Chorus.

All these organizations have been working for some time on the music which has been arranged to add to the effectiveness of each day's program.

## Band To Travel To Albuquerque

For the second time this season, the West Texas State Buffalo Band will take to the road to back the Thundering Herd in a football game.

This time the trip is to Albuquerque, where the University of New Mexico plays host to West Texas State Saturday afternoon, November 29.

The Buffalo Band has been spectacular in their performances throughout the pigskin season on the home field and at Tech, according to many observers. The West Texas Activities Association agreed to furnish the rest of the money needed for the band to make the trip.

A party has been arranged for Friday night in the band house before the group leaves for the trip. After the party the band will board two busses and arrive in Albuquerque early Saturday morning. They will return sometime Saturday night.

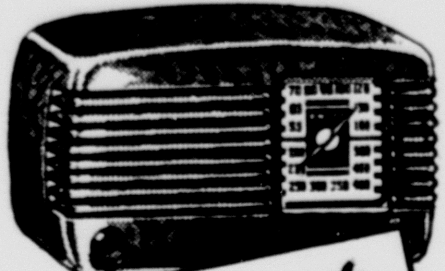
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## Scarlet Fever Is Above Average For 7-Year Period

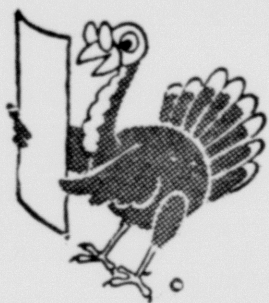
The incidence of scarlet fever is at the present time nearly one-third higher than the seven-year median in Texas. One of the most disabling and dangerous of the diseases usually associated with childhood, actually it is confined to no age limit, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Fifty-five cases were reported in the state during the week ending November 15, bringing the year's total to 1,242.

The Doctor described scarlet fever as an acute infectious disease, the onset of which is sudden. The first

symptoms including sore throat, vomiting, fever, and headache, may appear in three to five days after exposure. These are followed by the distinctive scarlet rash which gives this disease its name, Dr. Cox stated.

Complications can result in prolonged disability or death. Children suffering with scarlet fever may develop sinusitis and middle-ear infections which can lead to mastoiditis. As the germs spread through the child's system, the joints, kidneys, and heart may become involved causing life-long invalidism or crippling.

"A child with any kind of sore throat should be seen by the family physician promptly," Dr. Cox asserted. "If scarlet fever is present,



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the treatment the doctor prescribes will do much to alleviate discomfort, and reduce the possibility of dangerous complications."

The White House is steadily resisting pressure to release the Wedemeyer report on China, pending completion of the "little" Marshall Plan for China and Latin America.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Randall County, Texas, will receive competitive bids to ten o'clock, A. M., on the 8th day of December, 1947, at the Court House in Canyon, Texas, on the following described road machinery; one or more:

One new or used diesel motor grader with 12 foot moldboard, two 2 foot extensions, starter, generator and scarifier, and at said time and place said Court will proceed to let a contract if any bids be accepted, and the Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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### WOMAN'S BOOK CLUB CONTINUES STUDY SERIES

A continuation of the series of studies on Our South American Neighbors formed the basis for the program, Nov. 12, when the Woman's Book Club met in the Thompson Club Room. Miss Mae Simmons, as program chairman, led with a discussion of Indian Culture, and she was assisted by Mrs. George Clark who discussed Spanish Culture in South America.

These studies will be concluded at the next meeting when Dr. Ples Harper, Miss Darthula Walker and Mrs. A. W. Sternberg will direct a round table discussion on South America.

At the business meeting, Mrs. Frank Kimbrough, Mrs. Joe Findley, and Mrs. Frank Morgan were welcomed as new members.

Present for the meeting Wednesday were: Mrs. Roscoe Ballard, Mrs. B. D. Beck, Mrs. H. A. Brown, Mrs. William Brune, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. Ray Campbell, Mrs. H. C. Campfield, Mrs. A. A. Clark, Mrs. S. H. Condron, Mrs. C. M. Dowlen, Mrs. Lee Foster, Mrs. J. E. Haley,

Mrs. C. A. Murray, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. W. T. Oliver, Mrs. T. V. Reeves, Mrs. J. W. Reid, Miss Mae Simmons, Mrs. I. F. SoRelle, Mrs. Fred Standley, Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, Miss Darthula Walker, Mrs. Joe Findley and Mrs. Frank Kimbrough.

### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce that the new West Texas State College Cafeteria is open to the Public. We will be happy to have you with us any time. Our hours of service are:

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## Billy Lowe Wins Sweater Contest

As the result of an all-College election conducted last Friday, Billy Jean Lowe, sophomore from Gruver, was proclaimed official Sweater Girl of West Texas State College at a dance in Randall Hall Saturday night.

Candidate for the Tri Tau fraternity, Billy received a sweater from them and from Epsilon Beta fraternity, sponsors of both the contest and the dance. Billy transferred here this fall from the University of Texas.

to feel free to come be with us at any time.

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And you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the 47th District Court of Randall County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court-house of said County, in the City of Canyon, Texas, on the first Monday in January, 1948, the same being the 5th day of January, 1948, to plead and answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on the 24th day of November, 1947, together with pleas of intervention and claims now on file or hereafter filed in said cause by all other parties therein, in certain suit No. 532-T in which Amarillo Independent School District is Plaintiff, and William C. Ellis, the heirs and legal representatives of said William C. Ellis, and the State of Texas are defendants, and then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you, and said land or lot sold under foreclosure of lien to satisfy the following taxes being delinquent against said property, to-wit:

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# Hart Longhorns Nudge Eaglettes

Opponents Outscore 19-13  
Avent Is High-point

Scoring 13 points to their 19, the Eaglettes' "A" Team was defeated by Hart's "A" team, Friday night, November 21, at Hart.

It was a tight game with the Canyon girls striving their hardest to outscore the Hartsters. At the end of the first quarter, the score was 2-3 in Hart's favor, with Martha Avent and Dorothy Butler scoring a point each on free shots. Throughout the second quarter the Eaglettes worked to a score of 6-7, still in the opponents' favor.

The second half brought more points from the Eaglettes but the Longhorns continued to score on them. When the fourth quarter came, the score stood 13-9. With one crisp shot from Dorothy Butler and substitute Janey Forester, and two sunken free shots from Martha Avent, the Canyon Eaglettes ended their game 19-13. Barbara McDougal also substituted.

Directly following the first string game, the second team played to a victorious climax 21-1. The first quarter was held scoreless for the Hart girls due to extra hard work from the B team guards, although Canyon's forwards scored eight points. Joyce Carter looping eight of those.

The score had advanced to 15-1 at the end of the first half. To start the second half off right, Wanda Edwards rang up three more points, followed by a free shot from Janey Forester and Joyce Carter's crisp, making the score 21-1 in the Eaglette's favor. Joanna Haines and Leona Graves were main substitutes.

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## WHERE'S THAT SPIRIT?

Say "kids," where's all that school spirit I've been hearing about? Has the cold weather frozen it or is it just not there?

We have our bi-district football game to play now. You know, a game was never won by the players saying "They will beat us this time." If you think you are big enough to win, regardless of what comes, you almost always are. If you don't win you can say "It was a good game anyway" and have pride in the way you played it.

The boys need every student in Canyon High out there backing them. It's for you that they have played these games and won. Now let's show them where we stand. We will be there yelling for you boys so play Perryton and WIN.

## ARE YOU A PEST?

How is your classroom behavior? Do you punch and peck on the person in front of you all the time? You dislike for someone to do this to you. The classroom pest always bothers you when you are at your busiest and do not want to be disturbed.

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# Bible, Hales Get Quality Livestock

Two FFA boys have made purchases of outstanding livestock recently to further the movement of the FFA chapter in raising the grade of livestock in Randall County.

Jones Hales had the top bid on "Ooster's Imperial Marion," a senior Holstein heifer which sold at the Blue Ribbon Sale of Wisconsin November 12. The heifer has won five blue ribbons and one red ribbon in major shows in the Mid-West and South. She was first at Oklahoma State Fair, first at the Muskogee Fair, Muskogee, Oklahoma; first at the Texas State Fair, Dallas, Texas; first at the Louisiana State Fair, Shreveport, Louisiana, and first in several local shows in Wisconsin. The red ribbon was won at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo. The top heifer at Amarillo was owned by Jones Hales. The heifer will be shipped this month.

James Bible bought two ten-weeks old registered Spotted Poland China boars from Ford Bell, a Lubbock breeder.

The sire of the boars was a Blue Ribbon winner at the Crosby County show.

James states that by these purchases he hopes to improve the breed of his herd.

## Canyon Future Farmers Obtain Registered Poland China Hogs

Future Farmers Hog improvement program has gone in full swing this fall. The hog committee distributed seven registered black Poland China gilts. On a written contract that when the gilt farrows, they return the choice of the litter. These boys received gilts: Stanley Lair, Dwain Howard, Robert McClendon, Richman Payne, Frank Heare, Leo Erwin, Larry Prater, and two boys receiving gilts for keeping the sow were Don Hickman and Billy Cunningham. Travis Payne took a Duroc gilt for keeping the Duroc sow.

There were seven Poland barrows sold. Meade Michael bought three, Bryce Slack three, and Dwain Howard one.

Four Duroc barrows were sold, one to Troy Burrus, James Inman, Jerre Inman, and Billy Sparks. All these barrows will be shown at Amarillo at the Fat Stock Show in March.

# Freshmen Stage Semester Party

Freshmen had a called class meeting last Friday afternoon to discuss plans for their first social of the year.

The party took place in the High School gym Tuesday, November 25, at 7:30.

The first part of the evening was spent in playing ring games; then folk dancing took up the remainder of the evening.

Refreshments of hot doughnuts and apple cider were served by the sponsor, Mrs. Perry Bell, and room-mothers: Mrs. Ross Craig, Mrs. Jim Carter, Mrs. H. L. Miller, Mrs. W. C. Angle, Mrs. Tom Lair, Mrs. Grace McDougal, Mrs. Bill Money, and Mrs. H. M. Cook.

on a subject and never let it go. After a session of this, you are so lost in your thoughts that you can't concentrate on the subject you are supposed to.

Since you know how this acting annoys you, don't let yourself be the one to bother someone else.

Outside capital is to be more welcome in Mexico if the Government succeeds in its program to amend investment laws. Present requirements that 51 per cent of the total invested in any venture be Mexican capital will be relaxed. Exceptions now can be obtained only with the approval of the Foreign Ministry.

Bureau of Labor Statistics experts predict another rise in consumers' goods, ranging from 4% to 6%, soon after stopgap aid goes into effect.

# The Eagle's Tale

22nd Year

Published by The Canyon News for Canyon High School

Canyon Wins  
Plays Again

Thursday, November 27, 1947



Waal, ah'm in the want-ad business, these hyar days—got to make some money for a new pair of shoes. Nigh on winter and mah bare feet shore don't tend to tromping thru mud and snow. Jest to give you folks the general idea, here's a few of the latest want-ads:

WANTED: One good reliable book on "How To Tell If She Loves Me." HORACE CARTER.

WANTED: One cute boy of the opposite sex. If he is found to be satisfactory, may be permanent position. MARTHA WILSON.

WANTED: A short way to and from a neighboring town, namely, Dimmitt or Happy!

GUESS WHO? WANTED: A definite answer from Juanita to whom it will be, me or him? JAMES INMAN.

HEARD: That Tommy Hunter found these Tullia gals can be lots of fun, especially if her initials are B. S. UNKNOWN.

HAD: A good time by all! Reports were that Joanna Haines, Albert Craig, Bruce Winn, Donna Erwin, Carroll Wray Dickerson, and Mary E. Jennings had a lovely time making fudge and popping corn Saturday night.

REPORTS CONFIRMED. OVERHEARD: Dorothy Butler is so very anxious to go with a Dimmitt boy, but she just can't decide which one. MOE.

HAD: A very interesting date Friday night with a certain W. T. girl, namely Billie Bonds. Too bad you transferred from Canyon High! GERALD McDUFF.

SPENT: All our money on Sadie Hawkins dates with two handsome brutes, namely J. I. and W. G. Oh, well, it was worth it!

BOBBY JEAN AND BARBARA. SEEN: Billy Cleavinger, Mable Graham, Suzanne Stephenson and Don Hickman at the local picture-house Saturday night. (Looked very interesting, the show, that is.)

MAD MAN MUNSK. COUGHT COURTING: Martha Avent and Bill Phillips. Seems as though they were throwing another log on that almost lost flame.

CAL, no less. LEFT WAITING: Ava Dooley and Marselete Wilson, and it was Sadie Hawkins dates, at that. Where's your charm, girls?

MICKEY AND CARROLL. GIVEN AWAY: Large, glamorous pictures of me. Just ask me and find out. C. M. did!

SUE JENNINGS. WANTED: A girl (cute) with a personality (sweet) to go with a swell guy (Jack Sparks).

CAL, again. CORRECTION: Chubby Nunley deeply admires Barbara McDougal instead of Barbara Dooley.

Senior Personality Name: Max "Beulah" Bellah Favorites:

Food: Shrimp Drink: Cherry Lime Magazine: Esquire Actor: Trigger

Actress: Ann Southern Song: "Anniversary Song" Girlfriend: (?) Sport: Twiddling thumbs Teacher: Mrs. Knott

Pet Peeve: Teachers talking in study hall Pastime: Sitting Ambition: To teach music

Personals: Shoe size: 10 1/2 Hat size: 7 Sox size: 12 Height: 6'

# Eagles Claw Hornets 12-0

## Students of Canyon High School will enjoy two days for Thanksgiving holidays. Thursday the 27 and Friday the 28 have been proclaimed as days to recuperate from all of the brain laboring tests. Ordinarily Thursday would be enough, but with all that golden brown turkey and all the trimmings, Friday will have to be used for all the sick and ailing to recover.

## Canyon Chorus Goes Friday to Hereford

Canyon High School's A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Mr. M. D. Shepherd, was a guest in the Hereford High School last Friday morning, November 21, where they presented a special assembly.

The program consisted of some ten songs including "The Star Spangled Banner," "The Hallelujah Chorus," "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," "Down in the Valley," "Thy Way Not Mine," "Tell Me Why," "Sanctus," "The Cherubim Song," "Faith of Our Fathers," and "The Three Limericks."

The group ate lunch in the new cafeteria before returning to Canyon.

## Educators Attend State Convention

Superintendent E. A. Wooten left Canyon Tuesday to attend the Texas State Teacher's Association in San Antonio, Texas, this week-end. He is chairman of one of the committees and will be quite busy with the work of the convention.

Also, four Canyon Teachers, Mrs. T. W. Collins, Miss Lurline Bowman, and Mrs. R. E. Ball, riding with Mrs. Cecil Simms will attend various sectional meetings and general meetings of the convention. They also plan to do quite a bit of sight-seeing in the historical old town.

Mrs. Simms, president of the Canyon Classroom Teacher's Chapter, will attend various sessions pertaining to that work.

Weight: 180  
Color of hair: Brown  
Color of eyes: Blue

## TIRED OF IT ALL

A big shot was reading a prepared speech at a convention of industrial tycoons. Toward the end of his speech he swung dramatically toward his climax as follows:

"The American business man is tired. When the war approached there were many problems that caused him much worry. Then all through the war he worked under countless handicaps and terrific pressure. And now, during the post-war period of adjustments, the many confusions and delays have created more strain and fatigue. Yet, the business man is tired. He is physically and mentally tired . . . but he isn't nearly so tired as the girls who have to type all this eyewash."

## IN HER FAVOR

Man can criticize woman all he wants to, but we know three things in her favor:

First she never wastes two dollars worth of shotgun shells in order to get a 25 cent rabbit. Second, you never heard of one going into a restaurant and buying a 50c meal and giving the waiter a 25c tip because he smiled at her. Third, we've never heard of a woman yet who will use twenty gallons of gas and pay \$25 for boat hire to get where the fish are not.

## Merry Borden Is FFA Sweetheart

FFA chapter of the Canyon High School elected Merry Borden Sweetheart of the year in a meeting on November 10, 1947.

Merry started her 12 years of school in Wilson School where she attended for 6 years. Her next school was Nixon Junior High, also in Amarillo, for 3 years. She went to Amarillo High for one year before moving to Wayside. Her father brings her to school. In Amarillo High she was a member of the Jam Jar Club. Here in Canyon High she is cheer leader. Her hobbies are collecting picture post cards, and movie star pictures. She plans to attend Business College at Lubbock.

"It was a great surprise and I was thrilled to death," says Merry.

All members of the commercial classes met Wednesday at noon to organize a club. A committee with June Jennings acting as chairman will meet Tuesday at noon to decide on nominees for the offices. Miss Lurline Bowman will sponsor this club.

Mrs. Cecil Simms, teacher of English, in Canyon High School has just purchased a new 1947 tan Plymouth car. She will travel to San Antonio for a teachers meeting, which will be November 27, 28, and 29.

Future Farmers of America sell concessions at the home games. The members work at intervals selling popcorn, hot coffee, peanuts, hotdogs and pop. The chapter has sold \$443.24 and cleared \$196.91.

Six-weeks tests were held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The schedule for these tests closely resembles the schedule for the past six-weeks examinations.

Federal Reserve Board officials are frankly worried over the prospects of a wave of credit buying with the end of regulation "W". With installment credits now at an all-time high of \$12 billion, FRB members are hoping merchants will not over-liberalize their credit terms as goods become more plentiful.

Missouri's Senator James B. Kem will soon turn the spotlight on the Justice Department's failure to act on the Kansas City vote frauds and may even try to reopen to Senate Judiciary Committee's probe of the scandal.

Either Houston or Dallas will probably take over Brooklyn's franchise in the All-America Football Conference next year. Reason: Weakest eastern team in the AAC, Brooklyn lost 100,000 last year, stands to lose as much this year.

The National Labor Relations Board is seriously worried about its future jurisdiction over so-called "bootleg" labor contracts, signed by unions and operators in direct violation of the Taft-Hartley Act. While the government cannot institute suits under the Act, the NLRB may be powerless if an employer or employee files a complaint under the illegal contracts.

Some of the men most closely acquainted with conditions in Great Britain insist that only "substantial assistance" in United States dollars can prevent a further shrinking of Britain's stature as a world power next year. They predict, privately, that it will be five years before British sterling becomes freely convertible with the other currencies of the world.

## Grade Notes

Mrs. Joe Black, first grade teacher, visited her son and his family in Mangum, Oklahoma, over the week-end.

Nancy Lee Bowen is back in Mrs. Collins first grade after being absent three weeks.

Anne Jean Howard from Oklahoma entered Mrs. Dan Usery's third grade.

Students absent last week from Mrs. L. M. Cousins' fourth grade are J. C. Higginbotham, Dolores Slimp, and Jearlyn Partridge.

Highlighting sixth grade activities last week was the dramatizing of interesting books for the fifth grade. Book week posters were made and a group of judges was selected. In 6D, Elizabeth Cocanogher won first place and Dorothy Neblett won second prize. In 6I, Ann Holt was awarded first place and Joan Mickey won second place.

Mrs. Walsh's fifth grade is working on the play "Hans and Gretel" to be given to the sixth grade.

## Junior High Attends Classes' Festivities

"The Spirit of West Point" is the title of the picture seen by the Seventh and Eighth grades at their theater party last Tuesday afternoon.

To produce the "party-effect," the section where the classes were to sit, was decorated in crepe paper. Refreshments of cheerios were served at the entrance.

Roommothers for the Eighth grade are Mrs. Dan Sanders, Mrs. Burney Slack, Mrs. Houston Prichard, Mrs. Stacy Howell, Mrs. Travis Payne, and Mrs. Joe Currie.

The Seventh grade roommothers are: Mrs. E. J. Cundiff, Mrs. Milton Myers, Mrs. Ken Burum, Mrs. L. S. Johnston, Mrs. W. B. Colwell, Mrs. Mryan McDonald, Mrs. Ed Harrell, Mrs. Worth Jennings.

## CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK

Journalism students wish to thank the merchants who bought ads for 1947-48 'Souring Wings.' Ten names were given last week. Here is a list of others:

Randall Motor Co., Southwestern Public Service, Wirt Electric and Construction Co., J. J. Walker Drug Store, Britain's Studio, J. L. Glenn Laundry, Canyon Steam Laundry, Hart's Appliance Co., City Garage, Canyon Oil Co., Samuelson Motor Co., Byars-Oliver Co., and Farmers Elevator.

Other firms will be listed next week.

The Office of Defence Transportation, last of 16 wartime emergency agencies except for the War Assets Administration, will fold Feb. 1. The Interstate Commerce Commission will take over its remaining functions.

The Civil Aeronautics Board will withhold its appointment of a new safety director, pending approval of a non-government group—The Airlines Pilots Association.

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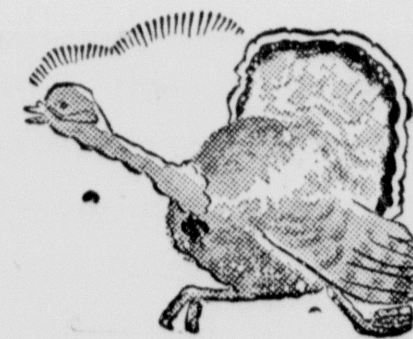
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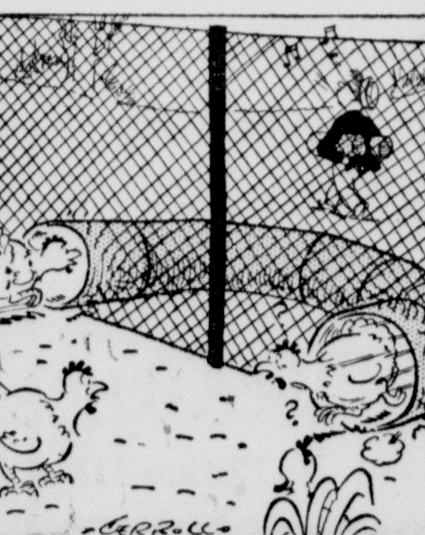
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## Finds Lost Mother After 42-Year Wait

### Persistent Search Brings End To Separation.

CHICAGO.—After many years of searching, Leonard Smith, 43, a baker, has finally found the mother who put him and his sister in a New York foundlings' home 42 years ago. In 1905, Smith, then Richard Hodgkin, and his sister, Charlotte, a year older, were placed in the home by their mother and father.

His father was later trampled to death by a horse. When the boy was four, a Henry Smith adopted him and took him to Chicago. About that time Charlotte was taken away by her mother.

Smith gave the boy his family name and changed Richard to Leonard, and as Leonard Smith he grew up in Chicago, attended school, and married six years ago. Always he wondered what had happened to his mother and sister.

When Smith had to register for the draft, he actually did not know how old he was. Confused, he registered twice—as 35 and as 38. He explained his background then to his wife, Marjorie, and she urged him to continue to look for his sister and mother. He also admitted his predicament to the draft boards, which cancelled one of the registrations.

He wrote to the foundlings' home again and again, and finally after probing of dusty, yellowed records, officials of the home were able to turn up his actual name, his birth date, and the name of the church where he was baptized.

And more investigation over the many months finally disclosed the whereabouts of his mother, now Mrs. Charlotte Mansfield, 66, in New York City, and sister, now Mrs. Charlotte O'Connell, of Long Island, N. Y. Both, it developed, had been looking for Smith all these years.

Smith and his wife left by bus for New York for a visit.

"It's a good feeling," said Smith, "to know they are well off and not destitute. Now maybe we can sit down and have a nice long talk."

## Highland News

Farmers think enough moisture was received to bring up the sowed wheat, also hope it brings up the volunteer wheat which hasn't come up. Those who had hail at harvest time and just before know they should have a big volunteer crop.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mason and Luther Mason attended the Farm Bureau State meeting in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fulton spent several days in Amarillo last week during the illness of Mr. Fulton's brother Carl who passed away Wednesday. Funeral services were in Amarillo Friday afternoon.

Mrs. N. H. Cabot of Artesia, N. Mex. visited her daughter at Vega and Mrs. Gene Bulford last week. Robert Bedenk called at the Guthrie, Mason and Fuqua homes last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuqua visited at the Guthrie home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cook returned home Friday from their trip to California.

Mrs. Norn Cabot, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNabb of Vega and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fuqua and Rhenda were dinner guests at the Carl Fuqua home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fulton called at the Taxton home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammond of Canyon visited at the Guthrie home Sunday.

### INDICATIVE MOOD

When we read the current tales About psychos, drunks and jails And we thoughtfully discuss them with our friends,

We agree with inward shame That Society's to blame And the cause of countless numbers of bad ends.

So if ever I should stray From the straight and narrow way And should heedlessly embark upon a spree,

And should wind up in the clink It is comforting to think That Society's responsible for me.

Russia never knows what kind of a deal it doesn't want until America proposes it.

Cabinet officers now directing Britain's economic policy are planning efforts to gather in a huge harvest of dollars from the West Coast of the United States. They are intrigued by the wartime increases in population and purchasing power all the way from Seattle to San Diego. A campaign can be expected soon to try to boost the sale of British-made luxuries in the region, as well as the middle west.

Callers on the Russian Ambassador to London are interested to find

that he prefers to carry on his most confidential conversations in whispered exchanges that take place in the center of the room. The idea is that he is wary of the possibility that listening devices might be planted in the walls or the furniture.

### IT'S A LIE!

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### Razor Blade Swallower Slips After 30 Years

GREEN BAY, WIS. — Emil Petrick, 50, a professional razor blade swallower, was in the hospital after 30 years of munching on blades, one finally went down the wrong way.

A surgeon had to remove the blade which got caught in Petrick's usually receptive throat. Petrick, known as "The Billy Goat," said the mishap wasn't much to worry about, however. He said he didn't think he'd give up his life's work just because of one slip of the gullet.

### Veteran, Father of Three, Gets Parole From Prison

JEFFERSON CITY, MO. — Missouri parole officials have granted freedom to a navy veteran, father of three children, who traveled 3,500 miles from Hawaii to give himself up to authorities.

The only condition laid down by the parole board was that Robert Bishop find employment in Missouri. Bishop said he was sure he could "find a good job in Joplin," his home town, where his wife and children, now in California, could join him.

The youthful veteran made a personal plea to the parole board in his fight for freedom from prison.

Col. Thomas Whitecotton, state penal director, said the 23-year-old youth escaped from the Alcoa reformatory at Jefferson City in 1941, married a California girl and became the father of three children.

Whitecotton said that the youth apparently was afraid to accept discharge from the navy for fear civil authorities would trace him down and rearrest him for escaping from the reformatory where he served nine months of a two-year sentence for stealing automobile parts. Had the board denied the plea, Bishop would have had to serve eight months and 11 days more.

### Lightning Kills Two Kids Before the Eyes of Mother

EMERSON, MO.—Two children were killed and a third was injured when lightning struck a tree in which they were playing near their farm home here as their mother looked on.

The lifeless body of Olen Lee Meyers, 10, dropped from the tree into the arms of his horror stricken mother, Mrs. Virgil Meyers, when she ran to their assistance.

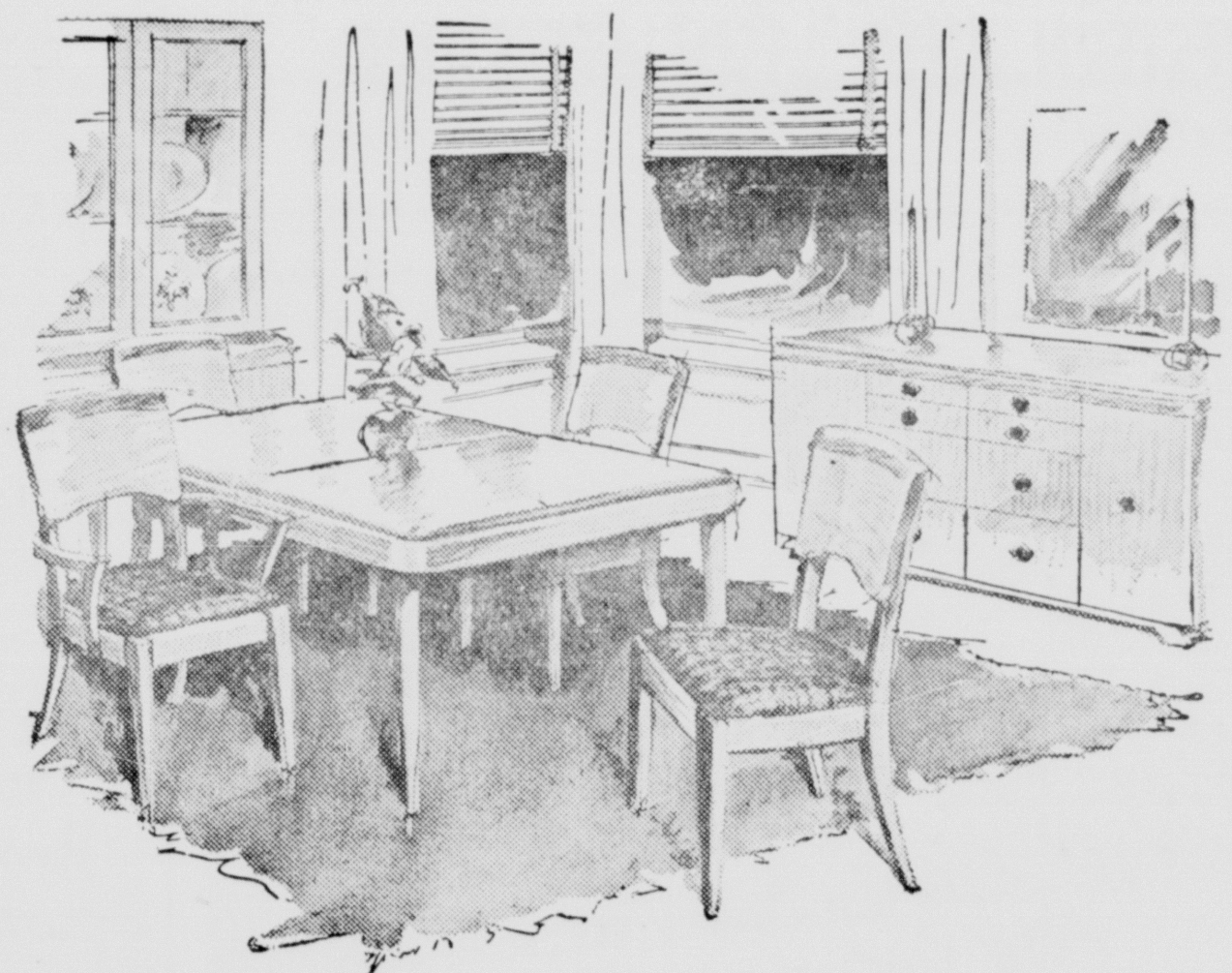
His sister, Norma Gene, 9, was found dead, wedged in the trunk of the tree. The third child, Jimmie, 11, escaped with burns.

### Blind Man Fills Lighter, Almost Burns Down Home

INDIANAPOLIS.—Blind Don Potter, 52, almost burned down his home but neighbors discovered the blaze in time.

Potter spilled some lighter fluid on his arms when he filled his cigarette lighter. The fluid caught fire and he threw the lighter away to put out the flames on his arms. Neighbors called firemen.

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As Supt. W. V. Harrison of Frost showed this commentator around the schools, his face glowed with the pride of a man who loves his work and is putting his whole heart into it. The school system there hasn't had too easy a time of it from a financial standpoint—as what school system has, these recent years?—but the difficulties press with extra weight on rural and small town schools.

So Mr. Harrison has had to do with what he had. For example, the school ground equipment, just as serviceable as you'll find anywhere, had been made by the students in the manual training department, using old pieces of pipe and wood. This is a manifestation of the spirit of resourcefulness and self reliance such as America practiced in pioneer days.

Seeing this and hearing Mr. Harrison as he talks, one realizes he is a man of ability, vision, courage, individuality. Fine building and laboratories are all right but, after all, they are but the trappings of education; the soul of a school is, and must ever be, able teachers. One

thinks of President Garfield's tribute to his old instructor, "Put Mark Hopkins on one end of a log and a student on the other and you have a real school."

Supt. Harrison has had opportunities to go to larger cities but he has chosen to devote his entire life to service in schools in small towns. A large percentage of the boys and girls of Texas live in the country and in small towns and they, too, are entitled to a chance to equip themselves for success in life. Mr. Harrison calls the small community "the source of social order, good will and personal and economic security," adding, "In our small agricultural communities, we have a reasonably even distribution of wealth and intelligence. This makes for stability."

"The people of the land are America's spiritual and moral balance wheel," he says. "Conservative rural community thinking has saved America from redhot radicalism. The city beckons on; the open country holds us in check. Small community judgment comes slowly but it is worth waiting for."

The small schools have a champion in Supt. Harrison. He doesn't hesitate to "speak out in meetin'". When a committee was named to study the educational situation of the state some years ago, he did not stutter as he pointed out that the small-town schools were unrepresented.

Supt. Harrison swings straight from the shoulder when he discusses a proposal that has been put forward to do away with the election of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and make the office appointive—appointive by a board which is itself appointed.

A member of the present state committee, which is studying educational problems, announced, almost at the outset, that he was in favor of making the state superintendent appointive. Harrison tartly commented, "It is a little unusual for a juror to try to bring in a verdict before the evidence has been presented."

Supt. Harrison declared, "I think nearly everybody in Texas favors an appointed state superintendent except the people."

"We need all educational activities under one head. The people want it that way and they want it under a man elected by them and removable by them."

When the small schools go to Austin for aid, he continued, they want an elective official before whom they can appear, then if they are denied what they feel to be their rights, they can hold him accountable at the ballot box. Appointment to the state superintendent by a board which is itself appointed makes the office twice removed from the people and there is no way for them to make their wishes effective.

Such a proposal, furthermore, implies rather plainly that those making it do not think the people have sense enough to elect all their officials. It is odd to assume that people can use good judgment in selecting a governor and a few other state officials and then the same people lose all their judgment and not be able to select intelligently a state superintendent! Not only is it a reflection upon the voters but it amounts to a weakening of America's position in maintaining before the tribunal of world opinion that democracy, rule of the people, is the best of all systems of government.

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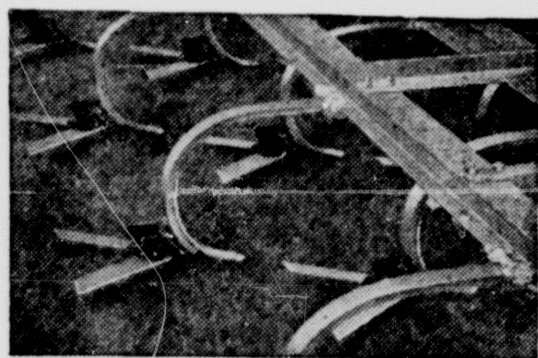
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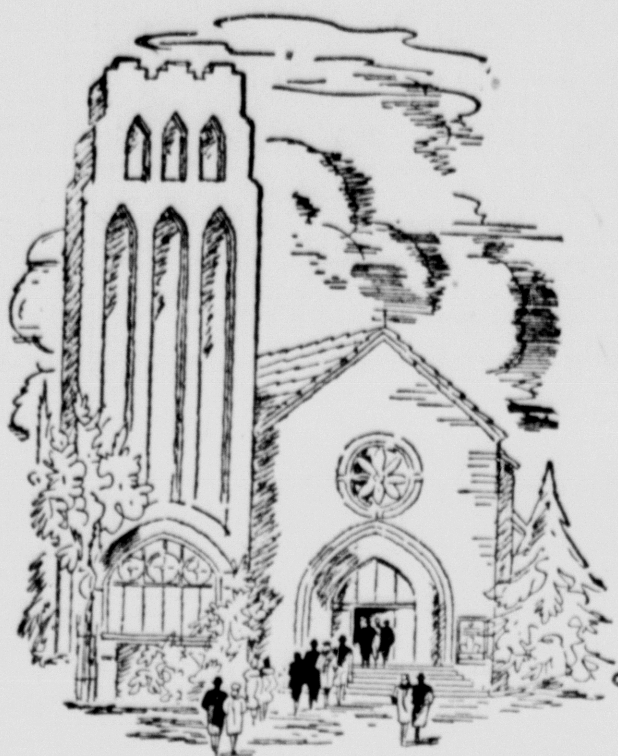
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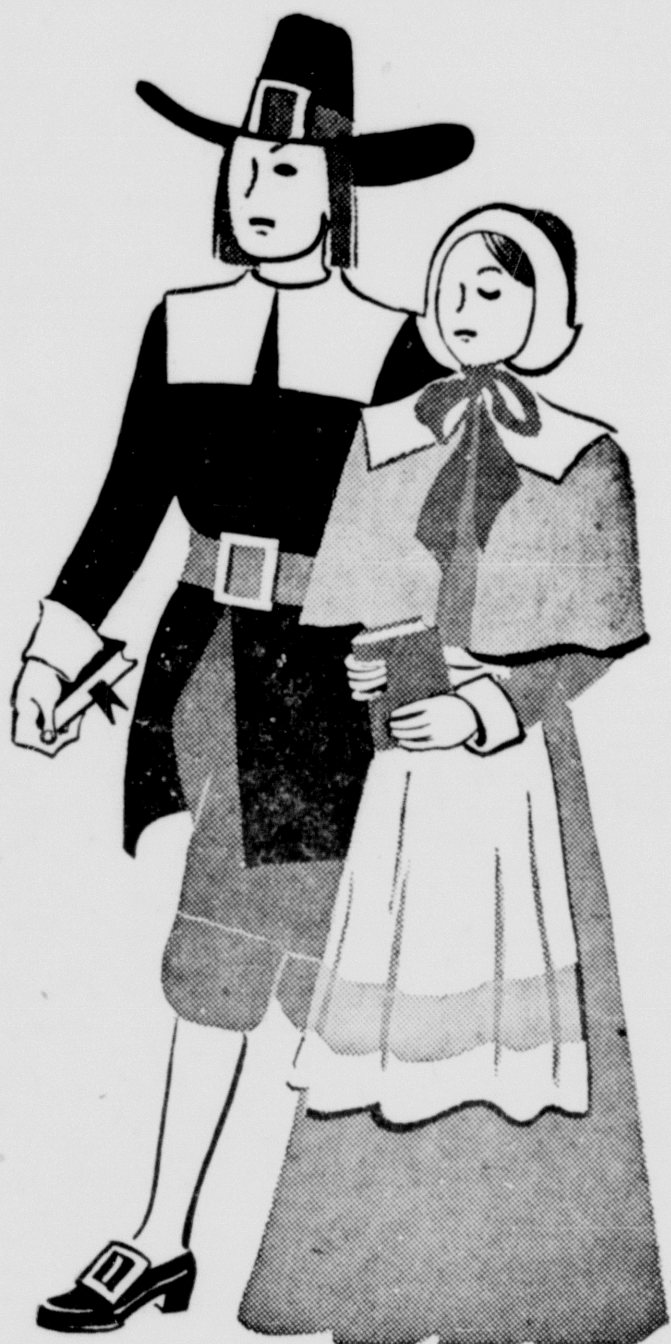
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# Buffaloes Take Conference Game Saturday From Tempe, Score 35-7

With the smashing 35-7 defeat of the Arizona State (Tempe) Sun Devils Saturday afternoon the West Texas Buffaloes ended another season of football in Canyon. And a successful season it was here in Canyon, with three wins and only one loss on their home field.

The game surprised most of the people who saw it, for the Devils were reportedly one of the stronger teams in the Border Conference. However, the cold weather may have had something to do with the score, and a number of injuries inflicted to Sun Devils hampered their best playing.

Strong defensive play by the stalwart Buff line held the Sun Devils to only 152 yards on the ground and 26 yards by passing. Two passes of the 14 thrown by Tempe-men were intercepted by alert Buff play.

Not until the third quarter was the Tempe defense able to cope with the Buff running attack. In that period the Buffs were held to only 91 yards. Each of the other periods saw the Buffs gain well over 100 yards.

The scoring started on the second play after the Buffs got the ball. After the Sun Devils were unable to gain a first down after the kick-off they punted to the Buff 16. Bill Cross carried the ball 24 yards for a first down on the 40. Eddie Conner then took the ball, picked up perfect interference and raced 60 yards for the score. Freeman 'Junior' Melton's kick was good for the extra point.

The next time the Buffs got the ball, it nearly resulted in a score as they had the ball on the Tempe 10, but a pass to Conner was caught out of the end zone.

One of the passes intercepted by the Buffs resulted in the second score as Melton caught the ball on Tempe's 48. Lloyd Johnson and Boyd Williams took the ball to the 37 and four plays later Johnson raced 24 yards for the score. Melton's kick was again good and the score at the half was 14-0.

The second half opened much like the first, except the Buffs received and on the second play, Berl Pruitt took the ball and plunged through the line for 71 yards and the third score of the game. The conversion was good.

"Whizzer" White, the Sun Devil's own "Hook" Davis was a mainstay in the second half. A bad kick resulted in the ball resting on the Buff 48. White then took the ball for another first down. He and Phil Perrino plunged for another first on the five and three plays later Sam Lewis scored from the three. White's kick after a fumble was good and at the end of the third period the Devils trailed 21-7.

Cloyce Box, who has done a good but unheralded job all season, intercepted a pass and returned it to Tempe's 24. Johnson carried to the 12, Cross was forced out of bounds on the one-foot line and

Box then plunged over to tally. The try for extra point was again good and the score was 28-7.

The final scoring by the Buffs started on their own 34. Cozel Foster was pulled down after a 34 yard sprint and Willis Hedges and Ray Moore carried to the 24 for another first down. Foster again took the ball and got to the five. Two plays later a pass from Moore to Clyde Ivey resulted in the final touchdown. Melton's kick was good. Only enough time for two plays remained after the score.

Coach Kimbrough used his entire squad in the contest and should be proud of the way they worked. No one man outshone the others for the Buffs as each did his work as it should be done.

For the Sun Devils end and Captain Montgomery, Sam Lewis, White, and Charlie Beall played well in carrying the ball against the Buff line, but five Tempe men had to be helped off the field during the contest. No penalties were assessed for unnecessary roughness, however.

## Umbarger News

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hughes and daughter spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friemel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Batenhorst and family spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Batenhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Irlbeck and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinart.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Friemel and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Batenhorst and family spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Irlbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Albracht and family spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Albracht of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Albracht and family spent Sunday evening visiting relatives in Nazareth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Friemel spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Rousch in Amarillo, and Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friemel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bedenk.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gerken spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tucek were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beckman.

Mr. and Mrs. Mienrad Hollenstein spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Artho and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinart.

Those exchanging visits Sunday were: Jo Anne Hollenstein with Mary Jansen and Helen Raef with Bernice Grabber.

A birthday party was given in honor of Joe and Margaret Friemel at their home on Sunday. Those attending were: Estella and Charlene Friemel, Gerald Beckman, Lennie and Helen Raef, Bernie and Bernard Grabber, Bobby and Dorothy Skarke, Theresa and Elaine Batenhorst, Jo Ann, A. G. and Ray Hollenstein, Betty Higgins, Helen Westhoff, Mary and Jimmy Jansen, Mary Fischbacher, Betty Hoffman, Elizabeth Ann Beckman, Melvin Prizilas, Carl Lindemann and Sharon and Pat Couch.

A fairly large number of Japanese Communists have deserted the party during recent weeks. The drop in membership is generally attributed in Tokyo to dissatisfaction over the rigid discipline enforced on party members, plus dissension among the party's top officials.

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# Here Are The FACTS--

Due to the rumors and propaganda currently prevalent in this community concerning the quality of anti-freeze, the following facts concerning anti-freeze preparation being sold by Co-ops are made:

Our permanent-type anti-freeze is a propylene glycol preparation that is of the highest quality. Propylene glycol has been used for a number of years by oil field equipment operators to prevent freezing in both stationary and mobile equipment, and was widely used during the war by various branches of service to protect fighting equipment that used water cooled motors.

This anti-freeze, or propylene glycol, is absolutely guaranteed to contain no chloride salts nor magnesium salts nor brine solutions of any kind. It is an excellent anti-freeze solution and when properly installed in the cooling system of any water cooled motor, it will give good service and protection from low temperatures. It contains rust preventative properties and in addition to being one of the best anti-freeze preparations available on the market, it is considered an excellent conditioner for the cooling system in preventing rusting.

The wholesale cooperative had several requests for the agency for this product, but since it is the policy of the wholesale to distribute through farmer cooperatives, the distribution in the Canyon vicinity has been made only through Consumers Fuel Association Service Station.

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5 lb. Bag **29c**

POTATOES

Idaho Russets - 10 lbs. **52c**

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Slab No. 1 Sliced - lb. **75c**

SLICED HAM

Cured Tender - lb. **62c**

SIRLOIN STEAKS

Fancy Beef lb. **59c**

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Pure - lb. **55c**

CHILI

Pinkney's 1 lb. Blocks **49c**

COLD REMEDIES

Cut-Rate Drugs

30c Mentholatum **19c**30c Vick's Vap-O-Rub **19c**10c EX-LAX **5c**

GROVES

COLD TABLETS

35c Size

**23c**CRANBERRIES Eatmore 1 lb. Cello Bag **36c**SHELLED PECANS Large Halves - 1 lb. **98c**PASCAL CELERY Nice California Per Stalk **15c**SHORTENING Bakerite 3 lb. Can **97c**SUGAR Pure Cane 10 lbs. **91c**

DATES

Dromedary Pitted, Pkg. **19c**

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